WEATHER FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Fresh to strong winds, mostly southerly and westerly, generally fair, not much change in temperature.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, mostly westerly, generally fair.

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ITALIANS WIN ON ALL FRONTS

Penetrating Austrian Territory in the Tyrol, Carinthia and Trieste District — Several Positions Are Stormed.

BAYONETS USED IN FIERCE SKIRIMSH

Fortified Lines Carried on Trentino Border—New 75 Millimetre Guns of Italians Are Very Effective.

GENEVA, May 28.—A fierce action in which the bayonet was freely used was fought southwest of Goritz on May 27, according to a Laibach dispatch to the Geneva Tribune. After the struggle many wounded were taken into Goritz.

An ammunition column of the Austrians fell into the hands of the Italians near Fella.

The Italians continue their advance on Trent, according to the dispatch. After sharp fighting near Lake Idro they took several fortified lines, notwithstanding the vigorous resistance of Austro-German troops. Since Thursday they have been in possession of Storo and Riva, at the point where the Tyrol and Trentino lines join, although freely shelled by powerful artillery.

Official Report

ROME, May 28.—A successful raid on the Trieste-Nabresina railroad by a squadron of Italian hydro-aeroplanes, and the occupation of additional Austrian territory along the Tyrol frontier and on the Friuli front are reported in an official statement issued by the Italian war office. It is stated that an artillery battle is raging between the Italian fortified positions on the Trentino front and those of the Austrians. The communication follows:

"On the Tyrol-Trentino front an artillery combat continues between our fortified positions and those of the enemy at Tonale and on the Asiago plateau. To the north we have extended the territory occupied up to the mouth of the Chiese River, in Lake Idro, and have occupied the rugged mountainous zone extending between Lakes Idro and Garda.

"Notables of, Tesse, in Val Sugano, and another occupied parts presented themselves to our authorities, expressing sentiments of patriotism and devotion on behalf of the population.

"Our Alpine troops continue successful combats on the Carniola front, where we are capturing prisoners.

"On the Friuli front we occupied Grado, where the population welcomed us enthusiastically.

"During the night of May 26-27 a squadron of hydro-aeroplanes raided the enemy's territory, throwing bombs on the Trieste-Nabresina railroad, causing damage, and, it is believed, interrupting service on the line. In spite of the violent rifle and artillery fire of the enemy, the squadron returned safely."

Continuing Advance

GENEVA, May 28.—The Italians are continuing their advance in Carinthia. They have taken three of the low mountain passes and fourteen villages.

Italian forces, supported by gunboats on Lake Garda, have captured several hills to the north of Mount Baldo. Their object is to flank the Austrian fortifications at the mouth of the Adige River and also advance on Mori. Two Austrian aeroplanes attempted to bombard the Italian gunboats on the lake, but they were driven off.

The new 75-millimetre Italian guns, said to be an improvement on the French model, are reported here to have been used with conspicuous success.

At a point in Carinthia they are said to have silenced an Austrian battery served by Bavarians.

Another incident of the fighting in the high mountains is the case of an Italian lieutenant, who, with eighty-five men in a passage of the Agno valley, held at bay for one hour a company and a half of Bavarians, armed with Maxims. Italian artillery finally arrived and scattered the Bavarians. The lieutenant, however, had been killed.

Other dispatches reaching Geneva set forth that the Italians are bringing up heavier guns and are attacking the Austrian forts along the Tyrolese frontier.

The Italians have captured Col. Tonale, near Monfalcone, which is being bombarded. They continue their advance on the Isonzo Valley. Most of the fighting now is on Austrian territory.

The Austrians are described as mounting more guns in the Alpine passes facing Valtelline.

Another dispatch reaching here says that large forces of Austrians and Germans are assembling in the vicinity of Bozen, about thirty miles north of Trent, where they will be formed into the Twelfth Army Corps.

German Losses in Galicia

LONDON, May 28.—The Times petrograd correspondent says he learns that the German casualties in the West Galicia drive total 106,000. An army organ in Petrograd, the correspondent adds, declares that Prince Joachim, a son of the Kaiser, and the Prince of Lippe, narrowly escaped capture on the northern front when the Russians suddenly stormed the Kurmay position with the bayonet. The princes, it is asserted, fled to their staff in the rear of the position.

Earthquake in California

BAKERSFIELD, May 28.—An earthquake shock shook buildings and homes here at 10:05 tonight. Reports of a slight shock were received from Fresno, Merced, Visalia and other towns in the southern end of the San Joaquin Valley. No damage has been reported.

Directs Britain's Naval Strategy

ADMIRAL SIR HENRY JACKSON, K.C.B.,
First Sea Lord of the Admiralty

PIRATES FIND MORE VICTIMS

Captain and Five Men of British Steamer Spennymoor and Two Men on Swedish Bark Are Murdered.

FALMOUTH, Eng., May 28.—The new British steamer Spennymoor has been sunk by a German submarine off Start Point. The captain and five men of the crew of the vessel were drowned by the capsizing of a boat, while it was being launched, and the engineer was badly injured by the bursting of a shell in the engine room.

Twenty-three survivors of the disaster have been landed here.

Cadeby Sunk By Gunfire

PENZANCE, May 28.—The British steamer Cadeby was sunk yesterday off the Scilly Islands by the gunfire of a German submarine. All those on board the vessel, including the four passengers, were saved.

The crew of eighteen men and the four passengers who were on board took to the boats and were rescued later by a fishing smack and brought to Newlyn, a fishing village near here.

The steamer Cadeby was 255 feet in length and of 677 net tons register. She was owned in Glasgow.

Strikes Mine

COPENHAGEN, May 28.—The Danish steamship Ely struck a mine off Stockholm yesterday and sank. Her crew was saved.

The Ely was bound from England for Sundsvall, Sweden, with a cargo of coal.

Swedish Bark Destroyed

STAVANGER, Norway, May 28.—Survivors of the crew of the Swedish bark Roosvall were landed here today by a Dutch fishing boat. The men report that while off Malmo a German submarine stopped the Roosvall and examined her papers and then permitted her to proceed. Subsequently a violent explosion occurred, which killed two men on board the bark. The crew are of the belief that the explosion was caused by a torpedo fired by the submarine.

The Roosvall was timber laden and bound for Sunderland.

Argyllshire's Escape

LIVERPOOL, May 28.—The British steamship Argyllshire, which left Sydney, N. S. W., on April 16, sent out wireless distress calls this morning, after having been attacked by a German submarine, according to information received in shipping circles here.

The owners of the Argyllshire stated tonight that the vessel was attacked by a German submarine, which fired torpedoes at her. None of them struck her, however, and she arrived safely at Havre.

Major Guthrie Wounded

FREDERICTON, N. B., May 28.—Major Percy A. Guthrie, member of the New Brunswick legislature for York, who was promoted recently on the battlefield to the command of the Tenth Battalion, has been wounded in action. It is thought that he was shot down while leading his battalion in the famous orchard fight near Fuquissart, where the Tenth was on the right of the Canadian lines and did splendid work.

Son of Mayor Waugh Wounded

WINNIPEG, May 28.—Private advices received today report the wounding in action of Douglas Waugh, son of Mayor Waugh. He is with Strathcona's Horse.

SENDING MORE MEN

Militia Department Actively Engaged in Preparation and Dispatch of Overseas Forces

OTTAWA, May 28.—Up to the present time nearly 56,000 officers and men have been dispatched overseas by the Canadian Government. It is expected that by the first of July the number will reach approximately 70,000. More than 500 nurses have also gone forward.

The recruiting, enlistment and organization of additional forces is steadily proceeding, and is the more necessary by reason of the very heavy casualties which have been sustained during the past five weeks in the fighting near Langemarck and its vicinity. The gallantry, resourcefulness and tenacity of the Canadian troops during battles have never been surpassed.

Another False Report

WASHINGTON, May 28.—The Russian embassy has received a cablegram from the chief of the naval staff at Petrograd categorically denying the report of the sinking by Turkish mines or a submarine of the Russian battleship Pantelimon in the Black Sea.

FEELING BITTER TOWARDS ITALY

Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg Addresses Reichstag on Situation—Makes Charge of Breach of Faith.

BERLIN, May 28.—Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the German Imperial Chancellor, speaking in the Reichstag today on Italy's entrance into the war, said:

"Italy has now inscribed in the book of the world's history in letters of blood which will never fail, her violation of faith. Nobody threatened Italy—neither Austria-Hungary nor Germany. Whether the Triple Entente was content with blandishments alone history will show later.

"Without a drop of blood flowing, or the life of a single Italian being endangered, Italy could have secured the long list of concessions which I recently read to the House—territory in Tyrol and on the Isonzo, as far as Italian speech is heard, satisfaction of her national aspirations in Trieste, a free hand in Albania and the valuable part of Avlona.

"We left Rome in no doubt that an Italian attack on the Austro-Hungarian troops would also strike the German troops. The Italian manifesto of war, which conceals an uneasy conscience behind veiled phrases, does not give us an explanation of why the offers were refused. They were too shy, perhaps, to say openly what was spread abroad as the pretext, that the Austrian offer came too late and could not be trusted.

"Italian statesmen have no right to measure the trustworthiness of other nations in the same proportion as they measured their own loyalty to a treaty."

Seaplane for Russia

TORONTO, May 28.—A seaplane made here to the order of the Russian Government was tested today. It is of 160 horse-power and can carry 300 pounds.

Italians at Rhodes

AMSTERDAM, May 28.—The Berlin Lokal Anzeiger states that Italian troops in considerable force have been landed on the Turkish island of Rhodes, in the Aegean Sea. Rhodes is about 160 miles south of the Dardanelles. No official report has been received of a declaration of war between Turkey and Italy.

BRITISH NEARER TO LA BASSEE

Further Progress Reported in French Official Communication—Enemy's Counter-Attacks Are Unsuccessful.

SEVEN BEATEN BACK IN COURSE OF DAY

French Troops Gradually Gaining Ground to North of Arras—Another Advance at Le Pretre Forest.

PARIS, May 28.—The official communication issued by the War Office tonight says:

"The British troops have made progress toward La Bassee. The enemy has continued to deliver counter-attacks with increasing violence near Angres. Five times they made these attacks during the day, but every time they were thrown back. During the night two counter-attacks met with the same result. Thus, in less than twenty-four hours the Germans attacked seven times, but our artillery and infantry made any further progress impossible.

"We are holding entirely every one of our positions, despite a continuous and very violent shelling.

"To the north of Ecurie, on the especially difficult ground of the labyrinth, we have gone ahead some one hundred metres. On the whole front from Angres to Arras the artillery duel was especially violent throughout the day.

"On the edge of the Le Pretre wood our last attack enabled us to reach at two different places the road from Fer-en-Hayne to Morroy. We took 150 prisoners, several of them officers, and a machine gun.

"In Alsace we made progress aggregating several hundred metres on the mountain of Schepfenrith."

Advance at Ablain

The afternoon statement follows:

"The counter-attacks of the enemy against the positions taken by us near Angres continued last night, but were repulsed by us.

"At Ablain-St. Nazaire our troops yesterday followed up their offensive movement with distinct success. Masters of the cemetery, they took possession early in the night of all of the group of houses nearby, but especially of the parsonage, which had been protected strongly by the enemy. Subsequently they took by assault the German trenches, along the road which runs from Ablain-St. Nazaire to Moulin Malone, to the southeast.

"Here they were subjected to a violent counter-attack during the night, but they held all the ground in their possession and inflicted heavy losses on the enemy.

"At daybreak today they moved out on an easterly direction, and took possession, in the direction of Souchez, of an important German work called the Fort des Quatre Bouquetaux. Here the fighting was very spirited and the enemy suffered a serious check. The number of prisoners reported yesterday evening is considerably over 400, and includes seven officers. We captured in addition twelve machine guns.

"This morning at the taking of the fort we made some more prisoners. The exact number has not been reported yet. We also captured some war material.

"The bombardment by the Germans reported yesterday from Ecurie and Roulincourt continued all night long, but it was not followed up by an infantry attack.

"In the environs of the forest of Le Pretre we delivered an attack yesterday evening which resulted in our gaining ground. At the same time we took about sixty prisoners, including several officers."

EXTEND WARFARE TO SUEZ CANAL

Official Note From Constantinople Indicates That Submarine Attacks on Allies' Vessels Will Be Undertaken.

LONDON, May 28.—The inference that the German-Turkish alliance proposes to begin a submarine warfare against vessels leaving the Suez Canal has been drawn from a note recently issued by the Turkish Government. Such a policy, it is felt here, might seriously menace marine communications between Europe and the Far East.

A message to the Reuter Telegram Company from Constantinople says that the note in question, which is addressed to friendly and neutral countries, reads:

"The Imperial Ottoman Government, considering that the British Government has not fulfilled its obligations undertaken toward neutral countries by the convention of 1888, to keep no warships in the Suez Canal, but is even now fortifying this canal, and that the French Government, with hostile intent against the Ottoman Empire, has landed troops in Egypt, has by these facts been placed under the necessity of taking military measures for the protection of its territory, of which Egypt forms part, and to extend hostilities to the Suez Canal."

KING'S ACTION PLEASES

Italians See in Presence of Victor Emmanuel With Army an Augury of Early Triumph

ROME, May 28.—Italy in general, and Rome especially, is very much pleased at the promptness with which the sovereign has assumed the heavy responsibilities of commander-in-chief.

As the Italian newspapers remark, the third Victor Emmanuel is clearly a chip of the old block. They regard as an inspiring patriotic spectacle the presence of the King in the advanced lines, and see in it an excellent augury for the early triumph of the Italian army.

The Duke of Genoa, who will exercise semi-regal functions during the King's absence, has already taken up his residence at the Quirinal, where he is in occupation of a splendid suite of apartments in the long corridor, which, strangely enough, sheltered Emperor William during his last official visit to Rome. The Duke's present apartments had been sumptuously decorated in honor of the visit of the German ruler.

Volunteers as Lieutenant

TURIN, May 28.—Prince Humbert, Count of Salemi, son of the Princess Letitia Bonaparte and the late Duke of Aosta, who reigned for several years in Spain as King Amadeus, has volunteered as a lieutenant in a regiment of Catania cavalry and is already in camp. He is twenty-six years old.

RUSSIANS IN URUMIAH

Persian City Afflicted by Atrocities of Turks and Kurds Falls Into Friendly Hands

PETROGRAD, May 28.—Urumiah, Persia, has been occupied by the Russians after an engagement with the Turks in the direction of Dilman and near Backala, according to a statement issued by the general staff of the army of the Caucasus.

NEW YORK, May 28.—Officials of the Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions welcomed the news today that the way to Urumiah at last had been opened. For more than three months persistent and continued efforts have been made on behalf of the board to send succor to the Christians at Urumiah. Now that the city is in the hands of the Russians, relief will be possible by expeditions from the north.

VICTORIANS ON WOUNDED LIST

Names of Members of Seventh and Sixteenth Battalions Given—Men From Other Parts of Province Mentioned.

OTTAWA, May 28.—One hundred and seventy casualties were reported by the Militia Department in two lists issued last night. Twelve are named as killed in action and fifteen dead of wounds.

The Princess Pats are again listed as hard hit, their losses include fifty-six missing, five killed in action, seven dead of wounds, one dead in hospital and one missing and believed to have been killed.

A number of officers are included in the two lists. Among those killed in action are:

Capt. H. R. Innes-Hopkins, whose next of kin resides in England; Lt. J. M. Currie, of Tantallon, Sask.; Lt. W. C. Tennant, of the Lord Strathcona Horse, whose relative named is also in England, and Lt. Hornby, of Vancouver.

Among those reported wounded are Majors E. Thornton, Wapella, Sask.; B. A. Powley, Victoria, B. C., and P. A. Guthrie, Fredericton, N. B.

Pte F. H. Sharp, of Winnipeg, is suffering from gas fumes, and a Quebec private is sick with meningitis.

The address given with the man killed, wounded, missing or ill, is the next of kin, and does not necessarily mean that the soldier's address was the same.

7th Battalion

(Killed in Action)

Lt. Geoffrey Hornby, Vancouver, B. C.

(Died of Wounds)

Pte. W. E. Peel, England.

(Suffering from Gas Fumes)

Pte. Wm. Hardman, Scotland.

(Dangerously Wounded)

Pte. F. Constable, England.

Pte. A. V. Malpas, Nanaimo, (gunshot in head).

(Wounded)

Capt. Henry R. Cunning, England

Major Bruce Allan Powley (formerly 30th), Victoria, B. C.

Lieut. John Herbert Diamond, New Westminster, B. C.

Capt. Stanley D. Gardner, Vancouver, B. C.

Lieut. Fred Wollaston, 1289 Hampshire Road, Victoria, B. C.

Capt. David E. Carleton, Chilliwack, B. C.

16th Battalion

(Died of Wounds)

Pte. Alexander Cazie, Scotland.

(Wounded)

Pte. J. A. Osborne, Sterling, Ont.

Pte. H. E. Steeves, North Maitland, N. S.

Pte. John Love, Winnipeg, Man

Pte. E. Warwick, Hamilton, Ont.

Pte. G. Minnis, 515 Superior Street, Victoria, B. C.

Lce.-Cpl. Frank Sanders, Collingwood East, Vancouver, B. C.

Sgt. Chas. Peck, Bear River, N. S.

Pte. C. N. McDougall, Vancouver.

Pte. Jack Kirk, 2646 Scott Ave., Victoria, B. C.

Pte. Norman W. Rogers, Antigonish, N. S.

Pte. Allan McKenzie, New Glasgow, N. S.

Pte. Edward Biddle, Vancouver, B. C.

Pte. Robert John Howie, 1586 Fernwood Road, Victoria.

Pte. V. Scott, Chemainus, B. C.

Pte. Percy Stoddard, Victoria, B. C.

Pte. Archibald A. Watt, 34 Fort Street, Victoria, B. C.

Cpl. D. Hayhurst, Lashburn, Sask.

Pte. J. T. Gillespie, Kinderdey, Sask.

Pte. Albert W. Idiens, 3837 Rosebery St. Victoria, B. C.

Cpl. Wm. N. McLennan, Vancouver.

Sgt. C. Barclay Wrightson, Ipswich, England.

Pte. Ernest Andrew Thompson, London, England.

Pte. William Murray Asher, Inverness, Scotland.

Pte. Edward Jackson, Manchester, England.

Cpl. William J. Smith (formerly 30th), Cumdletown, Australia.

Pte. Peter Djurch (formerly 30th), Danloograd, Montenegro.

Pte. Thomas Vandyke (formerly 30th), Brussels, Belgium.

Pte. Daniel Eastwood (formerly 17th), England.

Lce.-Cpl. Donald E. Campbell, London, Ont.

Pte. Norman Francis Mairs (formerly 30th), Uxbridge, Ont.

Pte Joseph de Mayer (formerly 30th), Brussels, Belgium.

Turks Report Success

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 28.—Fresh activity of Turkish forces in the vicinity of Kurna, Mesopotomia, is announced in a war office statement, which says: "In a night attack by volunteers in boats we captured two British positions, which we still are holding."

Dominions Trade Commission

MONTREAL, May 28.—The Gazette's London correspondent, cabling last night said: "Further confirmation of the announcement made recently by the press, that the Dominions Royal Trade Commission will not resume in the immediate future is seen in the fact that Lord D'Abernon, its chairman, has just been appointed chairman of the new central board of control for the liquor traffic in munition and camp areas.

NAVAL COMBATS IN ADRIATIC SEA

Italian Report Mentions Damage Done to Several Austrian Vessels—One Italian Destroyer Sunk in Action.

ROME, May 28.—A communication issued by the Italian Ministry of Marine gives the details of the naval losses by Austria and Italy up to the present as follows:

"On May 24, the Austrian torpedo boat, S-20, having approached the canal at Porto Corsino, was so seriously damaged by the fire from our masked batteries that she was forced to be convoyed to Pola. The torpedo boat destroyer Scharfschutze, operating with the S-20, also was damaged, suffering the loss of many of her crew. She called the scout ship Novrara to her assistance, which was also badly damaged.

"The destroyer Ozelpel, which is of the same type as the Tatra, also suffered severely, due to the arrival of our naval squadron during the action commenced against the destroyers.

"The above news has been confirmed by enemy communications which were intercepted by us. We believe, although no confirmation of it has yet been received, that the Austrian cruiser Heigoland suffered severely in the action against one of our ships, as she was seen listing heavily, and was convoyed from the zone of action by a destroyer.

"After the preceding brilliant action, we regret exceedingly to announce the loss of our destroyer Turbine. She was built in 1901 and was of approximately 230 tons. The latter, during the morning of May 24, while on a tour of reconnaissance, sighted an enemy destroyer and gave chase. The chase lasted half an hour, when four other enemy ships appeared, including the light cruiser Heigoland. The Turbine immediately turned about to return to her naval base, but was struck twice in her boilers, thus reducing her speed.

"She continued the battle for about half an hour, although fire had broken out aboard and there was a lack of munitions. Then the commander ordered the water intake valves opened in order to avoid capture. The Turbine commenced to sink, with all her men gathered at the stern, the enemy continuing their fire all the while.

"The commander, who had been wounded at the beginning of the battle, ordered his men to jump overboard. As soon as the Austrians saw the manoeuvre they launched small boats in order to save as many as possible. Meanwhile, the squadron to which the Turbine belonged was seen approaching on the horizon, and the enemy left the small boats in the water and departed.

"Our squadron fired several times at the retreating enemy ships, and an enemy ship of the same type as the Tatra and also the cruiser Heigoland appeared to have been struck.

Nine men of the Turbine were saved by our fleet. From Austrian communications we learn that thirty-five men were picked up by the Austrians, including the commander."

Canadian Prisoners

LONDON May 28.—The following Canadians are prisoners: Lieut. W. O'Grady, 8th Battalion, and Lieut. Scott, 2nd Battalion, at Paderborn; Lieut. McKessock, 15th Battalion, at Bishop's Wood; Lieut. Colquhoun, at Frieburg; Sgt. Collins (7589), at Bruges; Pte. Campbell (24119), at Gottingen; Pte. Forester (16887) and Sgt. De Harte, 15th Battalion, at Hogfelsmar; Pte. Jamieson, 13th Battalion, Pte. Hobb, 1st Battalion, and Pte. Clifford (28433), at Ohrdrug; Cpl. Griffith, 8th Battalion, and Pte. Board, 1st Battalion, at Magdeburg; Cpl. Cunningham, 14th Battalion, at Merscheid; Pte. C. Beasley, at Gottlagen.

RUSSIANS SCORE TWO SUCCESSES

Fortified Position in Shavli Region Captured From Germans and More Than Thousand Prisoners Taken.

CONSIDERABLE GAIN ON SOUTHERN FRONT

Teutonic Forces Still Seeking With Determination to Surround Przemysl—Fortress May Again Change Hands.

PETROGRAD, May 28.—The following official communication was issued tonight:

"In the Shavli region our troops have captured the strongly fortified position of Bubie, taking more than a thousand German prisoners.

"On the lower Dubysa there has been stubborn fighting.

"In Galicia the fighting on the San continued with the same intensity. On the night of May 27 our troops opened an energetic offensive against the enemy positions north and east of Sieniawa, inflicting on the enemy heavy losses. In the course of the day we captured his fortifications on the Pigary front, where the third Caucasian corps captured 6,000 Austrians and Germans, and six heavy guns, and six field guns.

"Nevertheless on the south and east of Radymno, the enemy, profiting by his considerable superiority in artillery, gained a certain amount of ground on both banks of the San.

"East of Gousakow, near Kotkowice, the enemy, after furious fighting, which lasted several days, succeeded in capturing fresh trenches from two of our battalions.

"Between the great marshes of the Dniester and Dolina the enemy, who began a series of resolute attacks on May 25, was repulsed nearly everywhere, and could only maintain himself in front of our wire entanglements, from which he is being gradually dislodged by our counter-attacks.

"According to the latest information the third Caucasian corps, resuming the offensive on the night of the 27th, carried Sieniawa by assault, took as additional thousand prisoners, and captured five guns."

Vienna Statement

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN Headquarters, May 28.—A great battle in mid-Galicia still continues in a furious offensive against the Russians north and south of Przemysl. Italy's declaration of war against Austria apparently has not affected the aggressive force of the Austrian armies.

The superiority in artillery which the Austrians established in the first stages of the war, owing to the introduction of new Skoda six-inch howitzers and the loan of a number of German eight-inch batteries, continues to be the determining factor, the Russians being shelled or bayoneted out of one position after another.

"The wedge which the Austro-Germans drove across the San River north of Przemysl on Monday is steadily eating its way into the Russian front.

The besiegers also are steadily progressing from the south, and yesterday obstinately attacked the heights south of Medika, the key of the Russian position, and barely eight miles east of the forts of Przemysl. Only a narrow strip twelve miles wide is now open between the two wings, and this, it is believed, will be closed when the heavy artillery is brought to the tips of the two wings, thus virtually completing the investment of Przemysl.

Victorious passage for the Teutons also is reported from the right wing, in the vicinity of Stry. The Russians are said to have been driven back into their last defensive positions before Stry.

Przemysl May Be Taken

LONDON, May 28.—The fortress of Przemysl, garrisoned this time by Russians instead of Austrians, is once more the centre of interest as far as the battle line in Galicia is concerned. Just as the Russians, after surrounding Przemysl and starving out its Austrian garrison, forced the surrender of the fortress on the 22nd of last March, so Austro-German troops, who have driven a wedge through Central Galicia, now are attempting a double flanking movement, and with growing intensity of attack are seeking to encircle Przemysl from the north southeast.

The situation in Galicia is unquestionably of great strategic importance at the present time, and even the British press concedes that the position of Przemysl is serious. It is described as the key to the whole Russian position in Galicia and its fall would mean that the railroad running eastward to Lemberg, the main artery for Russian supplies in this region, would fall into Austrian hands. Reports that this railroad line already has been severed are still without confirmation today.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Colonist, May 29, 1865)

Water Travel in British Columbia—Captain Mount, the well known master of the steamer Enterprise, will leave shortly, it is understood, for the interior of the Province. He will go to Kamloops for the purpose of establishing water communication between Kamloops Lake and the north arm of the Great Shuswap Lake.

Lieut. Verney, R. N.—This popular gentleman, being about to leave the Colony, yesterday resigned his position as a member of the management committee of the Mechanics' Institute. Great regret is felt at his resignation, and it will be difficult to replace him.

The Telegraph—Some workmen yesterday made their way to the Mainland on board the steamer Enterprise under the charge of Major Hope.

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GIGANTIC DRIVE ENDS IN FAILURE

Teutonic Allies Reported to Be Finally Checked in Region of San River—Usual Unsuccessful Tactics.

PETROGRAD, May 28. — Another twenty-four hours of comparative failure passed over the heads of the Germans on the Galicain front with the close of yesterday. Their artillery is again at work, firing at top speed with every gun. The failure is, therefore, not due to the delay in bringing up munitions.

The Russians are still holding the left bank of the San in the neighborhood of Przemysl and the right bank further north. The head of the German battering ram remains immobilized slightly behind the point which it reached a week ago. All attempts to take the Russian positions in the rear from Przemysl to the Dniester marshes, notwithstanding continually increasing forces moved up to this point by the Germans, continue to be repulsed with heavy losses. Elsewhere on the Southern front there is no change.

Taken in itself, this might be interpreted as meaning no more than that nothing is yet decided, and that victory might still be declared for either side, but several other indications should be added, and they all make towards the conclusion that the German failure is not merely temporary but final. First, there are the experiences of nine months of fighting. The Germans nowhere on the Russian front have yet succeeded in turning the failure of a first onslaught into a late victory. Secondly, the Germans are developing attacks along the whole Russian front from the Baltic provinces to the Bsura. Thirdly, Emperor William, at Tarnow, promised his picked army corps, forming the German battering ram, that Warsaw would be captured within a few days.

The tremendous onslaught from Cracow has, in fact, fizzled out. The Germans, following the line of least resistance, as they did on the Niemen front and before Warsaw, have once more dashed in headlong. The Russians hold their inner lines, as they are near their bases, and amply strong in numbers. The Germans are far away from their railways and bases, and are in a territory devastated by successive tides of warfare for nine months past. Their first blow did not get home, and past experiences indicate that without their own special machinery they are incapable of improvising a second.

In fact, the Germans on this side have always fought for a knockout blow in the first round. If it fails to come off—and it always has failed—the rest of the contest is uninteresting and a foregone conclusion—namely, a leisurely battering about of bewildered Germans until the moment comes for the knockout blow by the Russians.

Attacks, invariably repulsed, along the whole Russian front, began the moment the German battering ram in Galicia was checked. The Germans were exceedingly anxious lest the Russians were preparing to attack somewhere on the front which had been weakened to provide the enormous forces sent into Galicia. From the Baltic provinces to the Niemen and Vistula, and even south of the Lower Vistula, German attacks are now a daily occurrence, but not always very vigorously delivered.

Germany's Textile Supplies

BERLIN, May 28.—Replying to a question at a sitting of the budget committee of the Reichstag today as to whether the army administration had taken measures to ensure a supply of raw materials and textiles in the event of a long duration of the war, the Deputy War Minister made this precise statement: "Even a new Winter campaign would find us prepared in every way. All the raw materials are at hand in sufficient quantities for it. It must be declared out of the question, therefore, that the efficiency of our army could be impeded owing to some deficiency."

Mother Drowned, Child Saved

MOOSE JAW, May 28.—Mrs. Tomlinson, a woman aged twenty-eight, living in South Hill, was drowned in the river tonight in an effort to save her three-year-old child. Mrs. Tomlinson, with a lady friend, was talking on the river bank when the former saw her child in a precarious position on a landing stage. She rushed to prevent the child falling into the water and in doing so fell in herself. It was half an hour before the body was recovered, and by that time life was extinct. The child is safe. The husband of the deceased died a few months ago.

Canadian Aviators

OTTAWA, May 28.—The first detachment from the Canadian aviation school at Toronto will go to the front inside of a month. Though the weather of late has not been very favorable for aerial operations for beginners, satisfactory progress is being made. One young Canadian is training in the United States, but a certificate from the Aero Club will be sufficient qualification providing he passes the physical test in Canada.

Saw Wake of Torpedo

LIVERPOOL, May 28.—While none of the crew of the American steamship Nebraskan, disabled on Tuesday night by an explosion off the coast of Ireland, saw a submarine, the chief engineer believes he saw the wake of a torpedo on the starboard side, according to Capt. Green, of the steamship. The captain says that there is a hole about twenty feet square in the forecastle below the waterline.

Victoria Cross for Calgary Man

CALGARY, May 28.—James Place, father of Private George Place, of the Canadian Artillery, received a cablegram this morning from the war office advising him that his son has been recommended by the general commanding for the Victoria Cross for conspicuous gallantry in saving a battery from capture during a night attack.

Meat Scarcity in Glasgow

GLASGOW, May 28.—Two hundred Glasgow butcher shops were closed today for the reason that the shortage of cattle has resulted in almost prohibitive prices for beef.

Austrian Submarine Sunk

ROME, May 28.—It is officially announced that an Austrian submarine was sunk by Italian torpedo boats in an engagement yesterday.

KNOW THEY ARE DONE FOR

Admission of German Soldiers on Receipt of News That Italy Had Joined in War

PARIS, May 28.—A special correspondent describes how the French soldiers told the Germans of Italian intervention.

"I was at a point on the front where our trenches were only a few yards from those of the Germans," he says. "For several days the men had been annoyed by the gaiety of the Germans over the Galician victory, which they celebrated with songs and accordeon music. When the Italian news arrived, we summoned a German-speaking corporal, who shouted to the enemy that he wished to talk. They replied, 'No shooting.'

"The French agreed, whereupon heads emerged, and the corporal announced the news. The Germans were skeptical, but they were convinced by the figures of the vote in the Italian Senate and Chamber, which the French hoisted on a blackboard.

"The corporal continued: 'You are done for, now.'

"They answered: 'We know it.' The corporal: 'Then why go on fighting?'

"The Germans: 'We must, otherwise we will be shot in the back.'

The conversation ended suddenly, and throughout the night the French continued to sing the 'Marseillaise' and play on home-made musical instruments. The German trenches were silent."

MANY ON VERGE OF STARVATION

President Wilson Issues Appeal for Contributions to Relieve Mexicans--Gives Warning to Contesting Factions.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—President Wilson has decided to serve notice on all the warring factions in Mexico that conditions in that country have become intolerable, and that unless they themselves compose the situation soon, some other means may have to be employed to accomplish the result.

The first intimation of the President's determination to take this step came today in his appeal, issued as head of the American Red Cross, setting forth that "due to several years of internal disturbances," the people of many parts of Mexico have been reduced to the verge of starvation, and urging contributions to relief funds.

Later the White House gave out the following:

"When the President's appeal for aid for the Mexicans was issued it was also stated at the executive offices that a statement from the President on the present situation in Mexico might be expected within the next few days."

This statement has been prepared and will be issued after the cabinet meeting next Tuesday and then communicated to the leaders of all the Mexican factions.

IMPATIENT OVER DELAY

Attitude of American Press as Reported by Count von Bernstorff to Foreign Office at Berlin

LONDON, May 28.—A wireless dispatch received from Berlin today gives what purports to be a telegram sent by Count von Bernstorff, German Ambassador at Washington, to the Foreign Office in Berlin. The telegram as given says that the American press "is getting impatient about the delay in answer to the American note," and states that "the tensity has been increased by the sinking of the Nebraskan, which is not yet explained."

In another telegram to the Foreign Office Count von Bernstorff is quoted as saying that American packers and cotton exporters are urging Washington to take energetic measures against England, adding that "unofficial negotiations between the State Department advisers and the British Government have been broken off."

GULFLIGHT SUNK BY SUBMARINE

Report of Commander of German Undersea Boat Reaches Berlin—Reply to U. S. Note to Be Delivered Today.

BERLIN, May 28.—The Foreign Office and the Admiralty are still without news concerning the reported torpedoing of the American steamship Nebraskan, and deprecate all discussion of the possible effect on German-American negotiations, pending an authoritative confirmation of the attack on the ship. German newspapers have printed nothing regarding the Nebraskan incident since the first dispatches reported that the ship had been torpedoed.

The torpedoing of the American steamship Gulflight is now established as due to a German submarine, the report of the commander of the submarine in question having been received by the Admiralty. The commander stated that when he first saw the Gulflight she was being convoyed by two British patrol boats, and he concluded that she must be a British vessel or was carrying contraband. The presence of the patrol boats, the commander reported, made closer investigation dangerous.

The main points of the German reply to the American note on the sinking of the Lusitania probably are known to the administration in Washington by this time, so the note itself, which it is expected will be delivered tomorrow, will not come as an absolute surprise. The American Ambassador has had daily conferences at the Foreign Office, where the terms of the German answer were discussed. Admiral Behncke, acting chief of the Admiralty staff, called at the American embassy this morning to explain certain technical details of Germany's position relative to the submarine warfare.

SHELL SHORTAGE IS EXAGGERATED

British Troops Are Battering Their Way Through Enemy's Trenches—Attacks on Lord Kitchener Resented.

LONDON, May 28.—A correspondent of The London Morning Post telegraphing from the North of France, says:

"I have made it my business to make particular inquiries as to the actual state of matters regarding our shell supply. I am assured from a number of reliable sources that our artillery is doing magnificently, and that, while we certainly do require high explosive shells in ever-increasing quantities, the situation in respect of this has been altogether exaggerated in some quarters. To quote an expression, we are dynamiting our way through the German defences much in the same way as the French are. We are blowing parapets to bits, and doing it rapidly and well. In certain instances we were into the German trenches and had their occupants caught trembling with fear in their dugouts.

"The trenches themselves, concreted and steel plated though they have been, have been rendered absolutely untenable. In one instance so paralyzing had been our rapid on-rush that we actually found a gramophone playing away in a dugout, no one having had the presence of mind, or perhaps the time, to shut it off.

"The German trenches were found to be lighted with electricity in many cases, and to be fitted with electrical pumps against wet weather.

"I find amongst our soldiers widespread indignation in respect to the attacks upon Lord Kitchener. It is logically urged that had the matter been really meant patriotically, properly serious representations in the right quarter would have been sufficient to call attention to the matter, or failing that, plain public statements, requiring no sensational headlines or the egregious harping upon the already loudly strummed chord, would have amply awakened the public."

SHELLS THROWN ON PENINSULA

Allies' Warships Renew Bombardment of Turkish Positions—Constantinople Reports New Line of Successes

LONDON, May 28.—Undismayed by the loss of the British battleships Triumph and Majestic, the Allied fleet has begun a fresh bombardment on the forts from inside the Dardanelles and from the Gulf of Saros. Despatches from Tenedos today said that the renewal of the warships' attack was the signal for simultaneous action by the Allied land forces. Australian and French troops swept forward in the direction of Krithia, storming the Turkish trenches in rapid succession. Other Allied troops are making a fierce attack on the Turkish positions near Bulair and Gaba Tepeh.

Under the guidance of German officers the Turks have converted the Gallipoli Peninsula into a maze of wire entanglements and trenches. Every Turkish position is guarded by land mines that cause the Allies severe loses. Powerful German searchlights play upon the Allies' trenches during the entire night.

Turks' Heavy Losses

LONDON, May 28.—A statement given out by the official press bureau says the losses of the Turks in the recent fighting at the Dardanelles were considerably heavier than had been supposed. The statement is in the form of a report from Major-General William R. Birdwood, transmitted from Cairo. It follows:

"Major-General Birdwood reports that during the suspension of fighting in order that the Turks might bury their dead, much larger losses than the 3,000 dead already reported came to light. Two areas in front of one of our sectors, where heavy punishment on the enemy was not reported previously, were covered with the dead. four hundred corpses were counted in an area 50 yards by 100 yards.

"Turkish burying parties worked quietly and quickly. They were all supplied with cotton wool prepared with some solution to deaden the stench, a most necessary precaution.

"Over 1,200 Turkish rifles were picked up on our side of the dividing line during the suspension of hostilities.

"On May 25 an advanced trench, 150 yards in front of General Cox's brigade, was rushed and occupied by our men."

The Allies are described as "buoyantly optimistic" concerning the operations at the Dardanelles, owing to the daily arrival of reinforcements of troops, ships and guns, in a dispatch to The Times from Moudros. The Turks are said to be short of heavy ammunition and to be using shrapnel shells filled with pebbles, as well as shells with an inner casing of wood, instead of more effective projectiles.

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 28.—At the entrance to the Dardanelles both sides continue to engage in infantry and artillery fire, according to an official statement issued by the War Office today, which says:

"At Ari Burnu and Seddul Bahr feeble infantry and artillery fire continues on both sides.

"On the coast of Gaba Tepeh an enemy tug which attempted to tow in four armored ships was prevented from approaching the shore. Our troops waded far out into the water and, under the enemy's fire, took prisoners.

"Enemy cruisers, which yesterday vainly attempted to disembark troops at Budrum, today fired 1,400 shells upon the town, damaging some houses and destroying a church and mosque.

"Thursday night our patrols took six soldiers who had been landed, capturing their standard and rifles. Today the enemy's cruisers have withdrawn from the Budrum district.

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MORE NAMES ON LIST OF WOUNDED

Major Bruce Powley, of 30th Battalion, Among Wounded—Reinforcements to Original Forces Suffer Casualties.

Recent advices from official and other authentic sources contain the names of a number of Victoria men. Some of them are as follows:

(Dangerously Wounded)

Pte. F. Constable.
Pte. A. V. Malphas.

(Died of Wounds)

Pte. H. A. Dennis.

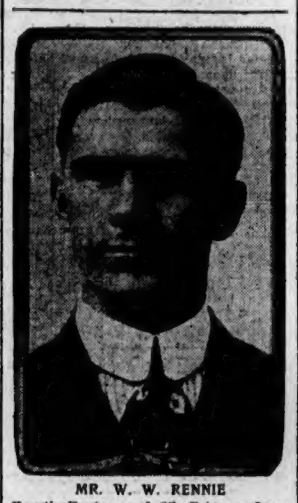
(Wounded)

Major Bruce Powley.
Pte. A. W. Idiens.
Pte. W. H. Massey.
Pte. Jack Kirk.
Pte. H. N. Wootton.
Lce.-Cpl. J. J. Smirl.
Pte. Duncan McCarter.
Lieut. Fred Wollaston.
Pte. G. Minnis.
Pte. R. J. Howie.
Pte. Archibald A. Watt.

(Missing)

Pte. A. H. Jephson.
Pte. E. C. Baddeley.
Pte. F. B. Cole.
Pte. Wm. Stewart.

Pte. F. Constable, 7th Battalion, dangerously wounded, may refer to Pte. S. F. Constable, of the 30th Battalion, who enlisted in the 88th Fusiliers in November last. He is 36 years of age and single.

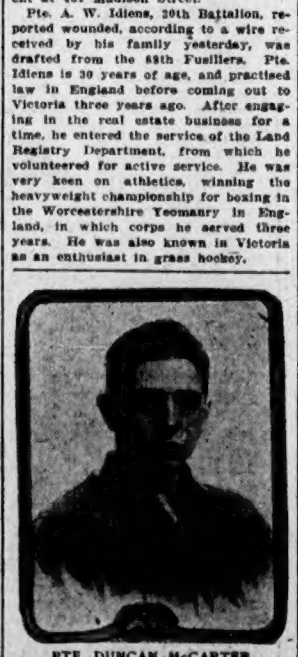


MR. W. W. RENNIE
Fourth Engineer of SS. Princess Irene who was killed when that ship was blown up.

Pte. A. V. Malpas, 7th Battalion, dangerously wounded with a gunshot wound in the head, may refer to Pte. Arnold Malphas, who enlisted in the 88th Fusiliers last September and was drafted into the 30th Battalion. He is 22 years of age and single.

Major Bruce Allen Powley, 7th Battalion, wounded, has been transferred from the 30th Battalion, which left Victoria early in February. He was drafted from the 88th Fusiliers, which regiment he joined in September, 1912, serving in the Civil Aid Force, Nanaimo, 1913. He came to Victoria from Edmonton, where he had been associated with the 101st Edmonton Fusiliers. On arriving in Victoria, he opened a real estate office in the Pemberton Block, and is well known in business circles. Born in Drayton, Ont., 39 years ago, he married in 1909, his wife and two children living at present at 481 Madison Street.

Pte. A. W. Idiens, 30th Battalion, reported wounded, according to a wire received by his family yesterday, was drafted from the 88th Fusiliers. Pte. Idiens is 30 years of age, and practised law in England before coming out to Victoria three years ago. After engaging in the real estate business for a time, he entered the service of the Land Registry Department, from which he volunteered for active service. He was very keen on athletics, winning the heavyweight championship for boxing in the Worcestershire Yeomanry in England, in which corps he served three years. He was also known in Victoria as an enthusiast in grass hockey.



PTE. DUNCAN McCARTER
Wounded.

Pte. W. H. Massey, Princess Patricias, wounded, was one of the quota that was drafted from the 50th Gordon Highlanders as reinforcements for the Patricias at the beginning of the year. He joined the Highlanders in October, 1914, and his previous two years' experience in the 49th Sussex Imperial Yeomanry accounts for his quick transfer to the front. He is unmarried and 34 years of age. An electrician by trade, he made his home at the Victoria Hotel.

Pte. Jack Kirk, wounded, is a native of Moffat, Dumfrieshire, Scotland, and came to Canada when 15 years of age. He was first employed by the Canadian Pacific Railway at Revelstoke on bridge construction, and he remained at that occupation for two years, at the conclusion of which period he came to Victoria with his parents when they came out from Scotland. He worked in the employ of the Dandridge & Son Motor Works, of Oak Bay Avenue, for nearly two years. He joined the ranks of the 50th Gordon Highlanders when they were organized, and was one of the first to offer his services when war was declared. He lived with his parents at 2646 Scott Avenue while here and is 22 years of age and unmarried.

Private Henry Newton Wootton, reported wounded, is a native son, having been born here twenty years ago. He received his education at the local public schools, and after passing through the High School studied law, being articled to the office of his father, Mr. Edward E. Wootton. He had passed two law examinations prior to leaving for the front. Interested in athletics and sport, being a member of the Law Students' Rugby team and an excellent marksman, he made many friends. He enlisted with the 88th Fusiliers on the day war was declared and left for the front with No. 1 Company, 30th Battalion. While with the regiment he was one of its best shots and was a keen soldier. The cablegram bearing the news that Private Wootton was wounded was received by his father yesterday, the communication having been sent by his son himself, who stated that he was in no danger, and that he would soon recover.

Lce.-Cpl. John J. Smirl, reported wounded, was a resident of Victoria for some four or five years prior to leaving for the front, and his wife and two children live on Linwood Street. He was born thirty-four years ago at Belfast, Ireland, and he lived there for a number of years, during which he served three years with the Irish Guards. He left the Old Country about seven years ago for Canada and made his residence at Toronto and Lethbridge before coming to the Coast. At Lethbridge he was a member of the police force. While in this city he was employed as a laborer. He enlisted with the 88th Fusiliers at the outbreak of war, and subsequently was a member of the 30th Battalion. He left for the front with the quota taken from the battalion which acted as reinforcements to the Princess Patricias. News to the effect that he had been wounded was contained in a post card received yesterday by Mrs. Smirl.

Private Duncan McCarter, wounded, was known in this city and lived here for about two years. He was a native of Scotland, and all his relatives reside there. When he first came to Victoria he was employed for a short time with McLean & Shandley, subsequently working as ledger keeper in the Union Bank, where he was engaged for about a year and a half. He enlisted in January, 1914, with the 50th Gordon Highlanders, and left for the front as a member of the 16th Battalion. He is twenty-two years of age and unmarried.

Pte. H. A. Dennis, died of wounds, joined the 88th Fusiliers in September last, and was drafted into the 30th Battalion. Previous to coming to this country from England, he had served six years in the 1st Volunteer Battalion East Yorkshire Regiment. He was 36 years of age and unmarried.

PTE. F. E. MOORE
Killed in Action.

Lieut. F. Wollaston, wounded, obtained his commission in the 88th Fusiliers in August last. He was subsequently transferred to the 30th Battalion, leaving here in February. Lieut. Wollaston was born at Hoyton, Lancs., England, in 1872, and was married in 1908. He served through the South African war of 1899-'02 as a private in the 2nd Canadian Mounted Rifles. In December, this year, he qualified for his captain's certificate.

Pte. Gerald Minnis, wounded, has been hit for the second time, as he was reported wounded in the casualty list of May 4. Pte. Minnis is only 19 years of age, and is a former employee of The Colonist circulation department.

Pte. R. J. Howie, wounded, joined the 50th Highlanders in August last, being transferred to the 16th Battalion on Salisbury Plain. He is 41 years of age, and formerly lived at 303 Michigan Street.

Pte. Archibald A. Watt, wounded, joined the 50th Highlanders on the organization of the corps in April last year, and went to the front with the first contingent. He served five years with the 5th Regiment, C. G. A., and was employed in the Surveyor-General's Department.

Pte. A. H. Jepson, Princess Patricias, reported missing, probably refers to Arnold H. Jephson, who enlisted in the 88th Fusiliers in August last. He was one of the detachment that left the city on January 11 as reinforcements for the Patricias. He is 28 years old, married, and an electrician. He had spent four years in the Derbyshire Yeomanry before coming out to this country.

Pte. Edward C. Baddeley, Princess Patricias, missing, joined the 88th Fusiliers in September, 1914, and was one of the detachment that left Victoria on January 11. He has been living lately at Portland, Ore. He is 37 years of age and single. Pte. Baddeley had already seen considerable military service. For three years he was in the Royal Canadian Rifles. He fought in South Africa for two years as a member of the Imperial Light Horse, and obtained the Queen's Medal with two clasps.

PTE. T. A. COULSON
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SUSPECTED MEN ARE ARRESTED

Two Prominent German Residents in East Get Attention of Authorities—One Had Isle of Orleans Scheme.

OTTAWA, May 28.—The arrest and internament at Fort Henry, Kingston, of two prominent and wealthy German residents of Canada has called attention at Ottawa to some exceedingly suspicious circumstances with which these men are connected. In view of the extraordinary methods of Germany and her marvellous preparations for a world warfare the authorities have good reason at least to be suspicious.

The men arrested are Baron von Polenz, a former captain in a Saxon cavalry regiment, and S. H. Mundheim, the German manager of the Cement Products Company of Canada, which has a large plant on the Isle of Orleans, a few miles below the citadel of Quebec.

PTE. H. N. WOOTTON

Baron von Polenz came to Canada only three years ago. He was apparently a man of great wealth and influence, and became heavily interested, among other projects in New Ontario mining ventures. He was at Timmins, New Ontario, when arrested last Saturday. The Baron made his headquarters in Montreal, where he had a suite of offices. He was also widely acquainted in Quebec, being a member of the famous Garrison Club.

MR. JAMES WALLACE
Chief Engineer of S.S. Princess Irene who lost his life in the recent disaster.

Had Remarkable Plan

In 1913 the Baron, with associates whose identity has never been revealed, took over the charter of a company known as "Le Compagnie du Chemin de Fer Quebec et Isle d'Orleans." This company had a charter for the construction of a railway around the Isle of Orleans and a bridge connecting with the mainland. The Baron represented that he had formed connections with "European financiers," and endeavored to get permission to establish extensive docks and harbor works. He claimed that he had interests in the Hamburg-American line. He also said he had entered into an agreement with Lens & Company, of Berlin, the official railway contractors to the German Government, to bear part of the preliminary expenses. He was prepared to spend one million and a half of dollars. He also wanted to establish a big hotel on the extreme western end of the island, a high elevation commanding the city of Quebec. Preliminary surveys by engineers were even made.

If the Baron's plan had gone through he would have been able to establish a regular naval base without suspicion under the very nose of the citadel of Quebec, and guns could have been located which would have swept Quebec city, blocked the St. Lawrence and given the Germans command of Canada's entrance to the sea. There is no way of knowing whether these were his plans or not, but in view of subsequent events and the marvelous similar plans the Germans are known to have worked out, it is not surprising that Ottawa is wondering what was the Baron's game, when he worked so hard to have his plan approved by the Dominion Government.

As the war has turned out, a German base at the Isle of Orleans would have been useless, but if Great Britain had ever lost control of the seas, the Germans with such a base at a strategical point in the St. Lawrence would have had a noose around the neck of Canada.

The Ottawa authorities at the time did not dream of the German plots, but the project was turned down, as the Dominion Government did not look with favor on the establishment of a rival port and harbor to Quebec, after having spent millions on the harbor development at the ancient capital.

Whether there was any connection between Mundheim and the Baron is not known, but there have been rumors at Quebec city that Mundheim, as manager of the Cement Products Company, with several hundred Germans in his employ, had built a number of suspicious cement bases on the island upon which big guns could have been placed. In view of the fact that this was done by the Germans in Belgium and Northern France at convenient places to command fortresses, on the ground of locating factories, it is not to be wondered at that there has been suspicion.

Mundheim was born in Germany, and has been in Canada about fifteen years. He has never taken out naturalization papers. When arrested in Montreal a few days ago he had on his person a passport showing that he had been a captain in the German army.

Whether the authorities have any new grounds for arresting these two men is not known, but it has evidently been decided that they were safer under detention, and they will remain at Fort Henry for the remainder of the war.

AUSTRIAN SAVAGERY

Bombardment of Unfortified City of Ancona in Daily Carried Out on German Plan

TURIN, May 28.—Commendatore Felice, the Mayor of Ancona, dispatched the following telegram to Premier Salandra:

"The free and open city of Ancona underwent double bombardment at the hands of the enemy, who spared neither hospitals nor orphanages, nor dwellings of townspeople.

"If they think to intimidate us they are mistaken, for I have the honor to inform you that this patriotic city responds to the infamous attack with serene calm and secure confidence in the destinies of our country.

"Our local Socialistic League, formerly opposed to war, has patrolled the town with posters inscribed, 'Let us defend our country and shame the victims.'"

From 1789 to 1900 20,000,000 men fell in arms on the world's battlefields, or died on the march, or in camp, or in military prisons—a loss every three minutes night and day for 120 years.

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SOOKE WATER SUPPLY

Yesterday, the Sooke Water supply was formally inaugurated by the Mayor. The completion of this important work marks an epoch in the history of the city. That part of Victoria which lies east of the harbor will have an abundant supply of water from the City's own system, under abundant pressure. We hope it will not be many years, although we suppose we shall have to wait awhile, before the Goldstream source of supply and the whole system of the Esquimalt Water Works Company will be owned by the City. It is unreasonable to expect that this property will ever again be procurable as cheaply as it might have been acquired at one time; but the ratepayers could not be brought to realize what a bargain they were offered, and that is all there is to be said about it. We mention it now as introduction to what we are about to say.

The beauty of Victoria depends greatly upon a cheap and abundant supply of good water, and this is now available, except that a part of the city is, and must for some time to come be served by a company, which will very naturally seek to make a profit upon what water it sells. The water rate ought to be sufficient to cover interest, sinking-fund and maintenance, and no more, and rates should be lowered whenever the sale amounts to a greater sum than is required for these purposes. But Victoria is not very likely to be long confined to its existing limits; but however this may be, there does not seem to be any doubt that for water and sewerage purposes the city, and the municipalities of Oak Bay and Esquimalt, and the southern part of the municipality of Saanich ought to be under the control of one board. Such a board ought to be charged with the duty of providing the public with water at a minimum and uniform cost. This cannot be done until the property of the Esquimalt company has been acquired. We are quite well aware that the present is no time to engage in the discussion of this question, but we think it just as well to remind the citizens that it will press for consideration perhaps before any of us now contemplates. After the war, things are likely to become exceedingly active in this community.

AN OPPORTUNITY AT HAND

An observation in an Eastern contemporary suggests that Canadian citizens of German origin missed an opportunity when they did not take occasion, at the time of the sinking of the Lusitania, to express their horror and detestation of that awful crime. We assume the explanation is that no one in any part of the Dominion thought about doing so, and this is unfortunate, because, had they done so, the general effect would have been very good. Of course, it is too late to remedy that omission now, but it may not be inopportune for an expression of opinion from naturalised Germans all over Canada.

We take the position that all such persons owe it to themselves, their adopted country and the cause of civilization to place on record in the most conspicuous way an expression of their sentiments in respect to the German campaign of "frightfulness," and we see no reason why such a thing might not be inaugurated in this city. As we have no wish to excite public feeling, we shall not enumerate the crimes of Germany, which, in our judgment, ought to be promptly repudiated and condemned by Canadians of German origin, but they themselves know them as well as we do. A proposal has been made that all such persons shall be asked to sign a declaration, but there is no law making such a course compulsory upon anyone. Moreover, the movement in that direction ought to come from them and not from the authorities. We feel confident that the omission in this respect is only due to the fact that those most deeply concerned have not thought it was necessary to take action. They must have now realised that it is very desirable, if not urgently needed. No one can tell how soon there will be another exhibition of German savagery.

THE WAR

News from the battlefronts yesterday was not of a striking nature. Our Allies, the French, continue to win successes north of Arras. The chief operations were at Ablain St. Nazaire, which is a point about twenty-five miles north and a little to the west of Arras. They continue to take prisoners and capture war material. No summing up of the results in this particular have been given out, but for several weeks past the captures have been continuous and almost of daily occurrence, so that the aggregate must be considerable. Operations of this nature, though they are not decisive, have a weakening effect upon the enemy.

Petrograd despatches are to the effect that the advance of the enemy in Western Galicia continues to be held in check, and that in most places the Russians have taken the offensive. The statement from the same source that German activity has been renewed in Western and Northern Poland seems to corroborate the claim that the Galician campaign has not been a success from the German point of view. The Petrograd correspondent of The London Times telegraphs that he learns the German casualties in the Galician drive amounted to 106,000 men. Taking the dispatches as a whole they seem to justify the conclusion that the Grand Duke Nicholas has the Eastern situation well in hand.

The Allies, who are operating on the Gallipoli Peninsula, are said to be "brilliantly optimistic" over the outlook. The losses of the Turks have been very heavy, much greater than was thought. Our troops are being reinforced, and the Turks appear to be growing short of ammunition, inferior shells and shrapnel filled with pebbles being now used to some extent. The Australian contingent has been conspicuously successful in the operations here.

Not much news was received from Italy yesterday, but it is a little too soon to expect anything of very great importance from the land operations. There seems to be no doubt that our Ally gained material advantages by his promptness in invading Austria. The Italian troops continue to advance in some places.

The report of a Russian victory in Persia, which, although a non-combatant country has been invaded by the Turks, illustrates the many-sidedness of the war.

WINSTON CHURCHILL

Let no one deceive himself into thinking that because Mr. Winston Churchill has left the Admiralty to assume the nominal duties of Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, he has ceased to be a factor in British public life. So brilliant and forceful a man, not yet at middle age, is not disposed of by retirement from the Admiralty. The exact reasons for this are not yet known, but the British public are always willing to wait until the proper time comes to give explanations. That he must have left his office with regret is beyond a doubt; as it is also true that he was influenced by feelings of the highest patriotism.

IS GAY BERLIN

A newspaper correspondent sends out word that Berlin is as gay as ever. We do not believe it. We have none too good an opinion of the German people, now that they have removed the mask that hid their real character from the world; but we are not prepared to think they have lost all human instincts, and can be as merry as ever, though their fathers, husbands, brothers and friends are being sacrificed by thousands at the command of a ruthless Government. The sending out of such stories is a part of a plan of campaign. It is an attempt to deceive the world as the armies in the field are being deceived. A day or two ago, the dispatches told of a message thrown from a German to a British trench, and on it was written, among other things: "You have lost all your ships." Doubtless, the poor fellows who sent this message believed it to be true, and they could not have believed it if they had not been so told by their officers. But the world is too wise to be deceived by such fabrications.

If it were true that Berlin is as gay as ever, what a terrible awakening awaits the unhappy people of that city! How little can they know of the terrible tragedies of the battle-lines. If it is true, then only one conclusion is possible; namely, that the "Furor Teutonicus" has seized the whole population. This is quite possible, but one would not like to think it true. One would like to think that there is yet a little saving grace left in the minds of some of the German people.

THE NANAIMO DISASTER

Profound sympathy will be felt for the unfortunate men, who lost their lives in the recent mining disaster, and for their bereaved families. In normal times an occurrence like this would stir the hearts of the people, but in the tension of events we hardly realise what it means. Twenty-two names of former residents of a Canadian town on a single casualty list from France would seem an enormous sacrifice that could hardly be compensated for by a brilliant victory; but we all seem to be losing our sense of proportion in respect to calamities.

Nevertheless, the case of those who have been suddenly bereaved must receive prompt attention, and if any are in need, they must be helped in some adequate way.

LOCAL ITALIANS

We have, at our request, been handed a list of sixty-five Italian reservists in this city, who are ready to go to the service of their country but are unable to do so, and are at present in urgent need of assistance to keep them from actual want. Very many of them are even now in a condition of great destitution. Clearly something must be done for them. It ought never to be that the people of a country in alliance with our own in fighting the battle of freedom and civilization have been allowed to suffer privations, if they can be relieved. It is our bounden duty as a community to help them.

These sixty-five men do not ask for charity; they only ask for employment until they can get away to serve their country in the field. The list is open to inspection, and Signor E. Claudio, of 431 Government Street, 'phone 3314L, will be glad to give any information in regard to the individuals named therein.

LABOR AND THE WAR

We read in the British press that the number of men who have volunteered for service from the ranks of labor is a very considerable proportion of the total laboring class. Mr. Asquith has taken the opportunity to draw attention to the numbers who have enlisted from different trades, and the figures are most encouraging from the national standpoint. But there is not by any means the same satisfaction expressed with the attitude of the men who are left to carry on the shipbuilding, to provide munitions of war, and to work in the transport areas. The responsibility for this is placed at the door of bad organization. To remedy this defect the duties of the War Office have been divided, and Mr. Lloyd George has been given a new portfolio, that of Minister of Munitions. We do not profess to know to what extent the labor problem in the United Kingdom is hampering the operations of the Army in Flanders, but the authorities evidently regard the situation as a very serious one.

Mr. Graeme Thompson, the Director of Transports, in a recent report said: "Unless effectual measures are taken we shall have strikes at every port in the United Kingdom. Supplies to the Army and Navy will be stopped. We have now to deal, not with the ordinary British workmen, but with what remains after our best men have been recruited."

Admiral Sir John Jellicoe has written from the North Sea to the First Lord of the Admiralty complaining that "destroyer dockings and refits are delayed," and that he is "very uneasy about the labor situation on the Clyde and the Tyne." An extract from his letter follows:

I am very uneasy about the labor situation on the Clyde and the Tyne. I have sent a telegram or two about it lately. You may think I am exceeding my sphere of action in doing so, but the efficiency of the fleet is so affected by it that I felt it my duty to wire.

Today an officer in a responsible position arrived. His account of things on the Clyde was most disquieting. He said that the men refused altogether to work on Saturday afternoon, that they took Wednesday afternoon off every week (if not the whole of Wednesday), and worked on Sunday because they got double pay for it.

He said also that they only worked in a half-hearted manner. My destroyer dockings and refits are delayed in every case by these labor difficulties, and they take twice as long as they need do. I feel that you ought to know the facts, and so put them before you now.

Captain Greatorex, the Director of Naval Equipment, has the following to say in a report:

The condition of labor is deplorable and the men are in a most uncertain and undependable state. This is so serious that at any time the whole of the shipbuilding work on the Tyne may come to a standstill. Sunday working is of little value, as the money paid for Sunday work leads to abstention from all work for often two days, and a Sunday worker will frequently not return till Wednesday. Unless something drastic is done I fear that the state of deliveries of vessels will be most seriously affected: but in the present frame of mind of the men drastic measures might have the effect of producing a critical situation.

The reports from armament works, according to a White Paper issued, are not as serious as those received from shipyards. They indicate, however, that much time is avoidably lost in some of the most important works. The Home Office investigators on this subject say that the "great majority of the workmen are above reproach, and their action is praiseworthy."

Obviously what is required in the United Kingdom, and for that matter elsewhere throughout the Empire, is mobilization of the workmen; and not only that, but mobilisation of all the resources that can in any way help in shortening the duration of the war. The supreme need of the hour is organisation. Lack of organisation among the army of workmen has prevented Sir John French's army from making the advances that were anticipated. The same failure has disquieted Sir John Jellicoe. These two leaders know what is required before victory can be made sure. The inability of the Liberal Government to supply the munitions of war in the quantities required, undoubtedly led to a recognition on the part of Mr. Asquith that better results could be achieved by the creation of a national ministry. From an administrative standpoint the nation has now been mobilised but the great task of completing the organisation among the rank and file remains to be accomplished.

India's harvest yield this year is estimated at 10,250,000 tons as against 8,250,000 tons last year. So much the more to maintain Britain's food supply.

We are advised that if any persons have reason to believe any of their friends to be prisoners of war in Germany, they can obtain information on the subject by communicating with the "Bureau International, Musee Rath, Geneva, Switzerland."

A divorce court in the United States has propounded the proposition that spoiled children are handicapped by a burden they will have to bear through life. What truly wonderful things courts can discover when they set their minds to it.

And now we are told that the Provincial Liberals are much encouraged. The news about the crops on the Prairies is good enough to encourage anyone, but it does not appear to have so encouraged our Liberal friends as to enable them to say a good word for the country.

A letter from Lieut.-Col. Hall, written on May 9 from London, where he was absent on sick leave, said that all the 30th Battalion were in France at that date, except the staff, and added that the report of spino-meningitis being prevalent in the battalion was without foundation.

If, as is reported, the German reply to the United States will beg the real question at issue, we fancy the people of that country will not read it with complacency. It would not be wise for anyone to lay too much stress upon the quietness of the American people under the provocation which they have received.

John Bunny, one of the most famous "movie" actors, died the other day, leaving an estate of $8,000. According to current reports, Bunny received a salary of $75,000 a year. In life he was a very quiet man with a small family, who lived in a modest way. It looks as if there was a cypher too many in that salary. As a matter of fact, no one knows how much salary and how much advertising there is in these alleged gains of actors in the "movies," or otherwise.

We have been asked what the United States could do in case of war with Germany. It is not for us to say; but if the Washington authorities would ask 100,000 of the young people of the country to go over and join the Allies in France, they would be forthcoming in short order. What a thing it would be for Anglo-Saxon unity for an army corps of soldiers from the United Kingdom, one from Canada, and one from the United States to fight side by side in Europe for the maintenance of freedom and civilization.

In the account given by our local evening contemporary of the entertainment given to the men of H. M. S. Kent at the Canteen at Esquimalt, Captain Allen, of the Kent, is reported as saying: "If it had not been for the Shearwater and the submarines Admiral von Spee might never have gone to the Falkland Islands and given the Kent the opportunity to play such an important part, but would have come to Esquimalt." We assume that this will not prevent our contemporary from referring hereafter to the submarines as useless.

The fifty-seventh only true account of the origin of the name Uncle Sam, as applied to the United States, has been published. What it is does not make any difference to anyone. One explanation is as good as another. Did you ever happen to hear it said that the $ sign is really derived from the letter U superimposed upon the letter S, a combination which stands for Uncle Sam as well as for United States? As a matter of fact, the sign comes from the Spanish coin known as the dollar, upon which was represented the "Pillars of Hercules," otherwise the Straits of Gibraltar.

Someone has thought it advisable to figure out that if the children attending public schools in the United States were set to work cultivating vacant areas, they would raise $100,000,000 worth of produce every year, which information is sent abroad with the endorsement of one of the self-styled economists of the day, who adds to it the words, "I believe it." This grave point having been settled, we suggest that some other highly paid expert in a public department in Washington should set himself to work to discover what proportion of the motive power needed to drive the electric railways in the United States could be derived from the utilization of the force exercised by the passengers in chewing gum.

BRITISH CASUALTIES

LONDON, May 28.—Seventy-five British officers were reported in the casualty list made public at the War Office tonight. Sixty-seven are reported from the expeditionary forces and the Indian force in France. Of these nineteen were killed, nine died of wounds and thirty-nine wounded. In the Mediterranean one officer is reported killed, one died of wounds, and six were wounded. The following names are published:

Killed— Allison, Capt., Cameron Highlanders; Bantick, Lieut., St. Pancras Regiment; Bellehier, Capt., East Lancashire Regiment; Cuffey, Lieut., Dublin Fusiliers; Fausset, Lieut., Royal Irish Regiment; Fraser, Col., Cameron Highlanders; Johnstone, Lieut., Field Artillery; Llewellyn-Jones, Lieut., Suffolk Regiment; Clarke, Lieut., South Staffordshires; MacKenzie, Capt., Camerons; Wickham, Capt., Connaught Rangers.

Died of Wounds—Biscoe, Lieut., Worcestershires; Bucknill, Major, Field Artillery; Pass, Capt. St. Pancras Regiment.

Wounded—Aitkens, Lieut., London Regiment; Allen, Lieut., King's Liverpools; Bookless, Lieut., Cameron Highlanders; Burke, Lieut., Irish Guards; Campbell, Captain, Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders; Garnons-Williams, Lieut., Welsh Fusiliers; Carruthers, Lieut., Cameron Highlanders; Chalmers, Lieut., Cameron Highlanders; Delegh, Major, Medical Corps; Drake, Lieut., Worcestershires; Enoch, Major, Medical Corps; French, Lieut., ——; Hardman, Lieut., Highland Light Infantry; Jones, Lieut., Norfolk Regiment; Leigh-Bennett, Captain, Coldstream Guards; Lindsey, Lieut., Royal Scots; Macdonald, Capt., Cameron Highlanders; McKenzie, Capt., Cameron Highlanders; MacNamara, Lieut., Engineers; Miller, Lieut., Seaforth Highlanders; Paterson, Lieut., Cameron Highlanders; Saville, Lieut., West Yorkshires; Sharpe, Lieut., King's Liverpool Regiment; Smith, Lieut., Medical Corps; Thompson, Lieut., Cameron Highlanders; Kidd, Lieut., Cameron Highlanders.

Killed—Killich, Lieut., Manchesters.

Wounded—Alderson, Lieut., Manchesters; Ainscough, Lieut., Manchesters; Butterworth, Lieut., Manchesters; Cunningham, Capt., Medical Corps; Lay, Lieut., Border Regiment; [illegible], Capt., Manchesters; Nelson, Capt., Manchesters; Tinker, Lieut., Manchesters; Wynn, Capt., East Lancashires.

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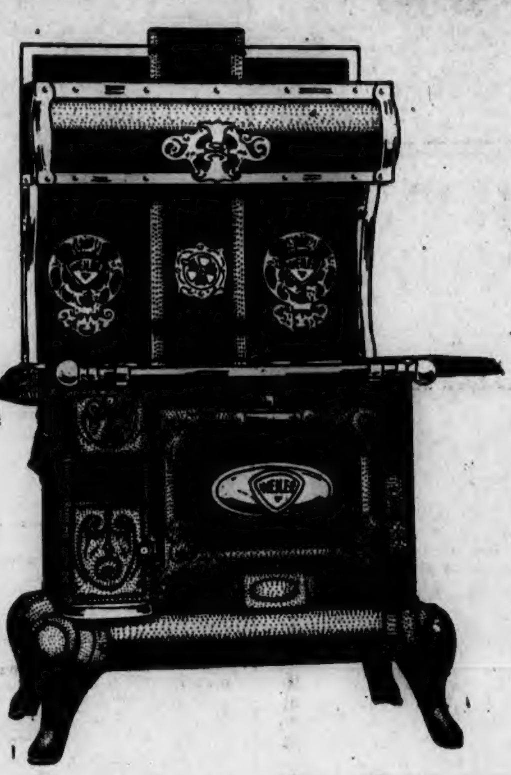

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AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE

German Property in Rome Found to Have Vast Subterranean Passages—Good Stock of Wines

ROME, May 28.—The police are busy exploring the Piazza Caffarrelli, the proprety of Germany and the official residence of her ambassador. The palace contains vast subterranean passages, which were used as a wine cellar, and still contain full bins of choice tokay, marsala and sherry. The underground galleries are long and high, and intersect each other like the catacombs of ancient Rome.

The first visit was paid by the police some days ago. There is an [illegible] close to the palace, and in the cellar of this was found an underground passage giving access to the German embassy, but nothing was discovered.

Some of the subterranean galleries are 200 yards long. A more careful and detailed examination is possible now that the German occupants of the building are gone. Every nook and corner of the wonderful heaps beneath the pile of rock will be subjected to a vigorous search by military engineers aiding the police. The task will take some days to complete.

Arrested at Innsbruck

NEW YORK, May 28.—Former Senator Lafayette Young, of Iowa, who was arrested and kept in his hotel at Innsbruck, Austria, for twenty-four hours early in May on suspicion of espionage, arrived here today aboard the steamship Rotterdam from Rotterdam. Mr. Young said his troubles at Innsbruck arose because he could not speak German.

Not Quite Truthful

WASHINGTON, May 28.—Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, presented a memorandum to the state department today saying that German mines are of a type which become harmless if they drift from their anchorages.

Portugal's President Resigns

LISBON, May 28.—The President of Portugal, Manuel de Arriaga, has resigned.

CASUALTY LIST IS AGAIN HEAVY

Evidence of Severe Fighting in Recent Actions in Flanders—Many Men of Princess Patricias Are Missing.

OTTAWA, May 28.—Two lists of casualties were issued by the Militia Department tonight. Names of men missing from the Princess Patricia Regiment are numerous.

1st Battalion

(Died of Wounds)

Pte. R. L. Flaherty, St. John, N.B.

(Wounded)

Pte. O. Sevigny, New Haven, Conn.
Pte. Wm. Souray, Maidstone, Ont.
Pte. R. Mitchell, Guelph, Ont.

2nd Battalion

(Died)

Pte. R. H. S. Wheeler, England.

(Wounded)

Pte. T. R. Sample, Toronto.
Pte. W. T. Bolan, Toronto.
Pte. F. N. Hardyman, Garden River, Ont.
Pte. C. H. Perks, Toronto.
Pte. W. S. Miganoski, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.
Pte. Chas. Boeridge, Kingston, Ont.

3rd Battalion

(Dangerously Wounded)

Pte. W. T. Anderson, Verdun, Que.

(Wounded)

Pte. A. Marshington, Toronto.
Lt. R. G. George, Toronto.

4th Battalion

(Killed in Action)

Pte. E. Craven, England.

(Died of Wounds)

Lce.-Cpl. Fred Reynolds, Waverley, England.
Lt. David Meikle, Scotland.

(Wounded)

Pte. Leonard Walter, Toronto.

5th Battalion

(Killed in Action)

Capt. James Randall, England.
Lt. James M. Currie, Tantallon, Sask.

(Died of Wounds)

Lt. David Mundell, Moosomin, Sask.

(Wounded)

Major Ernest Thornton, Wapella, Sask.
Pte. A. G. Dedwich, England.
Pte. P. R. Morgan, Scotland.
Pte. W. D. Edwards, England.
Pte. H. J. Holland, Regina, Sask.
Pte. Chas. Goodman, Seattle, Wash.
Capt. George Marshall Endacott, Vancouver, B.C.
Major Norman Samuel Edgar, Port Perry, Ont.
Lieut. E. J. Cook (formerly Col.-Sgt.-Major), South Vancouver, B.C.

(Dangerously Wounded)

Lce-Cpl. A. M. Lewis, Moose Jaw, Sask.

8th Battalion

(Died of Wounds)

Pte. W. C. Cooper, Winnipeg.

(Wounded)

Pte. Frank Mitchell, Lake Hill, Victoria, B.C.
Pte. L. L. Spalding, St. Paul, Minn.

10th Battalion

(Died of Wounds)

Sgt. Geo. Salter, Scotland.

(Seriously Ill)

Pte. P. Mitchell, England.

(Suffering from Gas Fumes)

Pte. F. Sharp, Winnipeg, Man.

(Wounded)

Sgt. Edmund Rayfield, Winnipeg, Man.
Pte. J. W. Smith, Calgary.
Pte. A. Williams, Maple Creek, Sask.
Maj. Percy A. Guthrie, Fredericton, N. B.
Pte. Edward Burns, Montreal.

13th Battalion

(Wounded)

Capt. Herbert F. Walker, England.
Pte. W. D. Deans, Scotland.
Pte. R. Robertson, Scotland.
Lce.-Cpl. J. S. Osborne, St. John, N.B.
Pte. R. Shelton, Fredericton, N. B.

(Died of Wounds)

Pte. C. Lennon, England.

14th Battalion

(Seriously Ill)

Sgt. W. C. Volkert, Montreal.

(Wounded)

Pte. Geo. Swift, Montreal.
Pte. S. Parent, Hull, Que.
Sgt. T. Mitchell, Montreal.

15th Battalion

(Wounded)

Pte. Ernest Munro, Campellton, N. B.
Pte. William Stark, Uddington, Scotland.
Pte. Arthur Syrett, Colchester, England.
Pte. Samuel Archibald, Belfast, Ireland.
Pte. Arthur Lambert Markham (formerly 30th), Nottingham, England.
Pte. Bertram Whitaker (formerly 30th), Newington, England.
Pte. W. D. Holdick, Springhill, N. S.
Pte. John Ford, Toronto.

(Missing)

Lce.-Cpl. D. E. Sparks, Toronto, Ont.

Princess Patricias

(Killed in Action)

Pte. A. R. Morris, Ireland.
Pte. John Scott, England.
Pte. C. W Wright, England.
Pte. J. H. Clare, Winnipeg.
Pte. Wm. Bullen, Toronto.

(Died of Wounds)

Pte. E. Huntbach, Battersea, Ont.
Pte. H. A. Dennis, England.
Lce.-Cpl. Wm. Dennis, Hull, England.

(Wounded)

Pte. P. E. MacIntyre, Scotland.
Pte. D. Boag, Scotland.
Pte. Arthur Smith, England.
Pte. Gilber McLaughlin, Scotland.
Pte. James Wood, Scotland.
Lce.-Cpl. F. R. Baugh, Moosomin, Sask.
Pte. Jas. Norris, Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.
Lce.-Cpl. Charles Baker, England.
Pte. W. H. Massey, England.
Pte. J. Biel, Winnipeg.
Pte. H. L. Angerine, St. Cuthbert, Que.

(Reported Missing—Believed to Be Killed in Action)

Sgt. Walter Stamper, England.

(Wounded and Missing)

Pte. Walter Scott, Ireland.
Pte. W. K. Imrie, Winnipeg.
Pte. W. H. Bryant, Norton, N. B.

(Missing)

Lce.-Cpl. James Dewsbury, England.
Lce.-Cpl. Harry Jackson, England.
Pte. G. L. Adams, England.
Pte. J. J. Abbott, England.
Sgt. A. W. Whitehead, England.
Cpl. J. Gordon, England.
Lce.-Cpl. Walter Snowden, Toronto.
Pte. A. H. Jepson, Maywood, Victoria, B. C.
Pte. George E. Arthur, Port Arthur, Ont.
Pte. E. C. Baddley, Portland, Ore.
Pte. George Manser, Toronto, Ont.
Pte. Herman George, Regina, Sask.
Pte. Frank Snare, Winnipeg.
Pte. Martin Chrystal, Cranbrook, B. C.
Pte. E. Burr, Stonewall, Man.
Pte. A. E. Dwight, Winnipeg.
Lce.-Cpl. E. E. Edwards, Toronto.
Pte. Fred Cox, Winnipeg.
Pte. John Devoe Caribou, Maine.
Pte. Wm. Mooney, Cartwright, Sask.
Pte. R. Walsh, Toronto.
Lce.-Cpl. John Archer, England.
Pte. John Blake, England.
Pte. G. G. Brown, Scotland.
Lce.-Cpl. Geo. Brown, England.
Pte. H. J. Coos, England.
Pte. F. B. Cole, New Zealand.
Pte. Albert A. Duffurn, England.
Pte. H. W. Donaldson, Scotland.
Pte. Robert Graham, Scotland.
Pte. Wm. Gomme, England.
Pte. Arthur Hookey, England.
Pte. G. Roosten, England.
Pte. G. Sheppard, England.
Pte. John Williams, Scotland.
Pte. R. Harris, Wales.
Pte. E. H. Johnson, England.
Pte. J. C. Phillpott, England.
Pte. D. Reese, England.
Pte. Wm. Stewart, Scotland.
Pte. John Wallbridge, Channel Islands.
Pte. Geo. Wood, England.
Pte. W. T. Robertson, Scotland.
Pte. T. E. Carr, England.
Pte. Sidney Tresese, England.
Pte. H. Smith, England.
Pte. John MacRitchie, Toronto.
Pte. H. Goodall, Edmonton.
Pte. Thos. Walkerfield, Glace Bay, N. S.
Pte. Leonard Forrest, New Westminster, B.C.
Pte. Charles Herbert Ladler, Calgary.
Pte. John Walker Hildred, Woodstock, Ont.
Pte. Robert Martin Sullivan, Montreal.
Pte. Frank Edward Lee, New York.
Pte. Chas. Bradbury, Montreal.
Pte. Charles Scarfe, Toronto.

Lord Strathcona Horse

(Killed in Action)

Lieut. Wm. G. Tennant, England.

(Slightly Wounded)

Major Arthur Hesketh.

Headquarters Canadian Mounted Brigade

(Wounded)

Capt. N. Doherty, Winnipeg.

1st Field Artillery

(Killed in Action, Previously Reported Wounded)

Pte. J. L. Ross, Belleville, Ont.

(Wounded)

Sgt. R. Sargent, Brockville, Ont.

3rd Field Artillery

(Wounded)

Pte. James A. Starling, Hamilton, Ont.
Driver G. F. Moles, England.

VON AUFFENBERG'S CASE

Former Austrian War Minister and General Under Arrest as "Serious Political Criminal"

LONDON, May 28.—General Moritz von Auffenberg, former Austria-Hungarian Minister of War, and early in the war in command of an Austrian army, has been arrested and is being treated as "a serious political criminal," according to The Frankfurter Zeitung, says the Amsterdam correspondent of Reuter's Telegram Company.

The Frankfurter Zeitung says, in its account of the arrest of the former Minister of War, that "von Auffenberg has shown by his career that he is not a person of little importance."

Continuing, the newspaper says:

"He has been Minister of War, Chief of the General Staff, and at the beginning of the war he was in command of an army, and until recently was acknowledged by the Government as 'the victor of Kamarow.'

"Shortly after this battle, however, he was deprived of his command, owing, it is said, to the failure of an enveloping operation, but nevertheless on April 22 the imperial decree was issued conferring on him the title of baron, and granting in addition the title of von Kamarow. Four days later he was arrested, and since then he has been treated as a serious political criminal."

Events which happened during his tenure of office are given by The Frankfurter Zeitung as grounds for the investigation.

RED CROSS CONCERT PROVED HUGE SUCCESS

Entertainment Given at Government House Last Night Was Largely Attended and Delighted Audience.

To say that the concert at Government House last night, in aid of the Red Cross Society, was a splendid success is but feebly to express the feelings of the enthusiastic audience which filled the spacious ballroom and listened to each number on the programme with evident delight. When, in thank ing the performers, on behalf of the Red Cross Society, Mr. Ross Sutherland said that, in few large cities on the continent of America would so fine a concert be heard, it was felt that his words were a sincere tribute to those who so kindly gave of their best.

From a programme of such uniform excellence it is not possible to single out numbers for special commendation. Many of the numbers were encored several times, and all were enthusiastically received. Mrs. Brougham, who came over from Vancouver, received a great reception, while Mrs. Harry Pooley and Mrs. McDonald Fahey also were applauded to the echo, the latter arousing great enthusiasm with her rendering of the "Marseillaise," during the singing of which the audience stood. The numbers given by the Arion Club were especially appreciated, while Mr. Davis' singing of "The Sea Queen Awakes," the words of which are by Sir Clive Phillipps-Wolley, proved to be one of the features of the concert.

Mrs. Green's piano solos were brilliantly rendered and her reputation as a pianist, which already stands so high, was further enhanced.

At the conclusion of the programme, refreshments were served in the dining-room, and the sincere appreciation of the kindness and hospitality of His Honor and Mrs. Barnard was amply appreciated by the rousing cheers given for them before the guests departed.

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INSTANTLY KILLED WHEN TANK EXPLODES

Mr. George Baraclough, Manager of the Kirk Soda Water Company, Meets Sudden End in Peculiar Accident.

Struck by a fragment of a soda water tank which exploded while being charged, Mr. George Baraclough, manager of the Kirk Soda Water Co., Ltd., Esquimalt Road, was instantly killed yesterday afternoon shortly before 6 o'clock. The tank, under the pressure, burst into two halves, one striking Mr. Baraclough with tremendous force on the right side of the head, shattering his jaw and cutting deep into the bone diagonally from the point on the jaw to above the right ear. Death was instantaneous, Mr. Baraclough never uttering a word after being struck. The other half of the tank was hurled through a nearby window, and went through the fence on the opposite side of Springfield Avenue, the thoroughfare on which the works are located, a distance of over 100 feet.

At the time of the accident Mr. Baraclough was standing about five feet from the spot where the tank was being charged by a youthful employe, Charles Kerr. Mr. Baraclough was talking with Mr. J. W. Elliott, managing director of the company, and Mr. Charles Kerr, father of the youth performing the charging operations. He had just jokingly remarked to Mr. Elliott that he thought he was entitled to a holiday and had turned to take another look at the dial which registered the pressure being put upon the tank, when the explosion occurred. Young Kerr was knocked on to his hands and knees and badly startled, but he escaped injury by the narrowest of margins. After striking Mr. Baraclough the portion of the tank crashed into the ceiling and when picked up was badly bent and twisted.

Mr. Elliott, who with Mr. Robert Clark, about two years ago leased the business from Mr. A. M. Kirk, stated last night that he could give no explanation of the cause of the accident. The new firm had, when taking over the business, engaged Mr. Baraclough as manager, his experience of nearly twenty years with the firms of Messrs. Kirk & Company and Messrs. Thorne & Company, leading them to employ him. Time and time again Mr. Baraclough had been heard warning the employes not to charge a tank with a pressure of over 200 pounds, though the tanks are guaranteed by the makers to stand a pressure as high as 500 pounds. While the work of charging was under way yesterday afternoon Mr. Baraclough stood in front of the pressure dial and frequently looked at it as he conversed with Messrs. Elliott and Kerr. From this Mr. Elliott, who did not look at the pressure dial himself, thinks that the pressure being put on the tank had not reached the 200-pound point or Mr. Baraclough would have ordered the operation to be stopped. Further, the same tank had on previous occasions been charged to that limit without any signs of defects.

The tanks are made in two metal halves, both being fastened together with a wide metal band. It was at the join beneath this band that the weakness developed. It was the lower portion which struck Mr. Baraclough, and a piece of pipe which ordinarily ran through the centre of the tank, was protruding. It is thought it was the jagged end of this pipe which caused the wound.

The late Mr. Baraclough was known to a wide circle of friends. He was a native of England and came to this city nearly a quarter of a century ago as a member of the Royal Engineers, being stationed at Work Point. On receiving his discharge he entered the employ of Messrs. Thorpe & Company, manufacturers of soda water and aerated waters. He was then engaged by Messrs. Kirk & Company, and on the taking over of the latter business by the Kirk Soda Water Company, Limited, was engaged by Messrs. Elliott and Clarke. He was about 55 years of age and leaves surviving him a widow, but no family. He resided on Wilson Street.

Immediately the accident occurred Dr. Raynor was summoned and the police notified. Dr. Raynor, on arrival, pronounced life extinct. Coroner Hart was notified and an inquest will be held probably on Monday.

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REV. DR. McKAY LEAVES

Accepts Appointment as Principal of Manitoba College—Will Close Up Affairs at Vancouver

WINNIPEG, May 28.—Rev. Dr. John MacKay, of Vancouver, was appointed principal of Manitoba College at a meeting of the board yesterday afternoon. Dr. MacKay accepted the office. He left Winnipeg last night for Vancouver to close up his affairs.

It appears that the Vancouver Presbyterians are reluctant to let him be transferred to this city, but it is understood this will be straightened out after Dr. MacKay's arrival.

The theological school in Vancouver, of which Dr. MacKay is head, will be closed up for a few years, although last year's classes will go through to graduation. Of course, if times improve, the school may go on, but the outlook is not promising. This is the way the situation is viewed by Presbyterians here.

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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Miners' Certificates—Attention is again directed to the fact that all free miners' certificates expire at midnight on May 31. All who wish to preserve their mining rights should see to the renewal of their certificates without delay.

Summer Train Schedule—The C. P. R. Summer time schedules will become effective tomorrow. Three transcontinental trains will be operated daily each way, and connections will be made by east and west bound trains with the Victoria steamers. The Victoria steamers will leave Vancouver at 10 a. m., 2 p.m., and 11:45 at night.

Taken in Raid — In a raid on premises at 643 Herald Street, Detectives Heather and Edens last night arrested Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Roscoe and Mr. and Mrs. L. Bayne. The two former were charged with being keepers of a disorderly house and the other two with being inmates thereof. The prisoners will be arraigned in the police court tomorrow morning.

Private G. C. Grant a Prisoner—Mr. A. C. Fraser, manager of the Merchants' Bank of Canada, yesterday received a cable from relatives of Pte. G. C. Grant, recently reported in the casualty lists as missing, following the recent battle in which the Canadians were engaged, that Pte. Grant has been taken prisoner. Pte. Grant was a member of the 7th Battalion.

Banquet at Penticton—The Hon. Thomas Taylor, Minister of Public Works, Mr. A. C. Flumerfelt, and other prominent Victorians will constitute a party which will leave tomorrow for Penticton, where, on Monday evening, they will be the guests of the Board of Trade of that city at a banquet to mark the completion of the Kettle Valley Railway, which line, in conjunction with the C. P. R., will give the Province a direct Coast-Kootenay service.

Esquimalt Police Court—Two cases under the Motor Traffic Act were brought before Magistrate Jay yesterday in the Esquimalt Police Court. The driver of a motor truck, whose number plate had been insecurely fastened, was fined $5, and a similar sum was paid by a chauffeur, who neglected to wear his license badge in a conspicuous place on his person. A Chinaman who had sold vegetables without a license did not appear and a bench warrant was issued for his arrest.

Stadacona Park Concerts—Last night the 88th Fusiliers band, under Bandmaster Rowland, gave its first concert at Stadacona Park. There was a good crowd in attendance and the people applauded the various band numbers enthusiastically. Mrs. A. Codd, soprano, was very popular with her two numbers, and Mr. Chester Smith acted as her accompanist. The band will give its second concert next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, when several well-known vocalists will assist.

Down From Comox—Mr. Michael Manson, M. P. P., of Cortes Island, the Member for Comox constituency in the Legislature, is in the city, a guest at the Empress Hotel. Mr. Manson says that conditions in his district show a marked improvement over the situation some months ago. The copious rains which have recently fallen have materially stimulated growth, and there is now every certainty of a bumper harvest. Quite a number of new settlers are commencing to locate in Comox Valley, and the logging industry is showing renewed activity.

Esquimalt Mail Service—Preparatory to the inauguration of the new postal delivery service, which will be established in the municipality about the middle of June, all the buildings in Esquimalt are being numbered and already a large amunt of work has been accomplished in this connection. The road improvement operations are progressing favorably and considerable attention is now being given to the laying-in of the Craigflower sewer system. The next meeting of the council, to be held on Monday evening, will be devoted principally to the consideration of financial matters.

Will Visit Coast—The Hon. W. J. Bowser has been advised by the Ottawa Government that it is the intention of Mr. G. N. Barnes, M. P., and Mr. W. Wyndham, who have been commissioned by the British Government to get 50,000 skilled mechanics to work on munitions of war in Britain, to come to the Pacific Coast to pursue their inquiries for men. The industrial delegates reached Ottawa some days ago and have already taken action. It is believed that it will be possible to get quite a number of idle mechanics in British Columbia who will be willing to go to the Old Country.

Praised Legislation—At the closing session at New Westminster of the British Columbia conference of the Methodist Church, the following resolution was unanimously adopted: "We would express our gratificatioin to the Provincial authorities for their action in the matter of the censorship of moving picture shows, also for the enactment of legislation which will prevent holders of liquor licenses becoming members of municipal councils and that the Attorney-General has insisted upon the enforcement of the law which requires all holders of licenses to furnish meals and lodging and that the licenses of a number of clubs have recently been cancelled because of infractions of the law."

MUNICIPAL CHAPTER

Invitation to Make Use of Clubroom Extended to Men of H. M. S. Kent

The business meeting of the Municipal Chapter, I. O. D. E., was held on Thursday, at the Temple Building, Mrs. Griffiths presiding. The treasurer, Mrs. Curtis Sampson, reported a balance in hand of $87.53, and Miss Leitch reported in the emergency fund a balance of $42.36.

The Lady Douglas Chapter was given permission to work for the South Park School Cadets, who wished to affiliate with that chapter. A resolution regarding military training for cadet corps was forwarded to the Provincial Chapter.

An invitation extended to the men of H. M. S. Kent was replied to as follows:

"The captain, officers and men of H. M. S. Kent beg to offer their sincere thanks to the Municipal Chapter, I. O. D. E., for their very kind invitation for the men of H. M. S. Kent to make use of their club rooms. They are very grateful for all the kindness and hospitality extended to them.

"J. D. ALLEN, Captain."

Notice was given of the quarterly meeting of the Provincial Chapter on June 22, at the Alexandra Club, and all members are urged to attend. A large amount of correspondence was dealt with, and the secretary instructed to write letters of sympathy to several members of the order.

SALE OF WORK

St. Andrew's Junior Missionary Society Hold Attractive Event for Benefit of Work

The Junior Missionary Society of St. Andrew's Church has been organised for six months. Mrs. H. E. Young is superintendent and Mrs. Meharey is president and there are twenty-five zealous, hardworking members.

Yesterday afternoon the girls had a sale of work and entertainment in order to raise funds for next season's work. Every member had furnished a piece of fancy work, and the Misses Grace Cameron, Margaret Hanson and Katherine Jackson proved excellent saleswomen.

The little folks found a fairy garden a great source of amusement, finding toys hidden among the moss under the flowers. Misses Helena Clay and Laura Archibald were the guardians.

Many sorts of pretty and delicious home-made sweets were in charge of Misses Margery Mallagh, Nellie Hill and Retta Robertson. Lovely baskets of flowers were offered to all comers by Misses Jean Macrae, Catherine Clay and Winnifred Mallagh, and tea was served by Misses Edith Roff, Nellie Turner, Elinor McLennan, Dorothy Taylor, Zelba Ormond and Madge Taylor.

Miss Lilla Robertson was responsible for a good musical and literary programme, in which Misses K. Jackson, L. Archibald, Grace Cameron, Gertrude Scott and Winnifred Mallagh took part. Miss Etholine Clearihue acted as treasurer.

A very pleasant afternoon was spent by the girls and members of the other women's church societies, while a few gentlemen came to help swell the funds.

BLUE CROSS SOCIETY

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The Blue Cross Society, whose aim is to attend to the requirements of wounded animals in time of war, is being operated on a very substantial basis at present and is finding support and favor among all the European nations. There are now four base hospitals which have been established and four more will shortly be built.

The R. S. P. C. A. is calling for funds to operate one more hospital, which will accommodate 1,000 horses, and it is estimated that the average cost of running such a hospital for a month will be $10,000. It is announced that efforts are now being made to build a Blue Cross establishment on the Italian frontier.

The women's auxiliary of the S. P. C. A. has organized a Blue Cross branch in this city with a donation of $40, and has accepted certain offers of help from ladies who are willing to work in outlying districts.

Collection boxes have been placed in D. E. Campbell's drug store, Fort Street, and in Kirkham's grocery store. This splendid work cannot be carried on without continuous help and all donations, however small, will be thankfully accepted.

HONOR DR. SAROLEA

Famous Belgian Lecturer Will Be Guest Today of Canadian Club

There will undoubtedly be a large attendance of members at the luncheon by the Canadian Club today at 1 o'clock at the Empress Hotel in honor of Dr. Sarolea, the famous Belgian lecturer who will afterwards address the club. Mr. Frank J. Sehl, secretary of the club, yesterday received a message from the secretary of the Vancouver Club to the effect that Dr. Sarolea's address there was exceptionally able and was listened to with great appreciation by a very large audience.

Members of the Women's Canadian Club are invited to attend the lecture following the luncheon and special seats will be reserved for them.

PAID OFFICIAL CALL

Lieutenant-Governor Barnard Yesterday Visited H. M. S. Kent at Esquimalt

His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Barnard yesterday morning took the first opportunity since his return to the city, after a few days' absence, to pay a formal call on Capt. J. D. Allen, C. B., H. M. S. Kent.

His Honor was received by a guard of honor at the dockyard, and then proceeded on board the ship. While he was in the captain's cabin he was shown a portion of one of the Nurnberg's shells, which had entered the storeroom during the historic engagement off the Falkland Islands.

On leaving the ship, Hir Honor received the customary salute.

THE WEATHER

Meteorological office, Victoria, B. C., at 8 p. m., May 28, 1915.

SYNOPSIS

The barometer is rising in this vicinity and fair weather is becoming general throughout the Pacific slope, while heavy rains have occurred in South Kootenay. Fine warm weather prevails in the Prairie Provinces.

TEMPERATURE

	Min.	Max.
Victoria, B. C.	47	59
Vancouver	50	64
Kamloops	48	72
Barkerville	38	56
Prince Rupert	44	54
Atlin	32	50
Dawson, Y. T.	44	68
Calgary, Alta.	44	70
Winnipeg, Man.	44	74
Portland, Ore.	52	66
San Francisco, Cal.	54	64
Port Arthur	42	60
Nelson	51	78
Cranbrook	50	70
New Hazelton	42	61

FRIDAY

Maximum	59
Minimum	47
Average	53
Minimum on grass	46
Maximum in sun	124

Rain .03 inch. Sunshine, 12 hours, 42 minutes.

What has long been known as grapefruit is henceforth to be called "pomelo." The United States Department of Agriculture has decided that the fruit should be rechristened, because its former name has become so misleading. The cultivated fruit no longer grows in clusters, like gigantic bunches of grapes, as it did in its uncultivated state. The fruit grows in groups of two or three, but generally singly.

The blue or sulphur bottom whale is one of the largest animals that has ever existed on earth. Although its mouth is so large that a dozen men can stand upright in it, its throat is only nine inches in diameter. Another curious thing about this enormous creature is that its diet consists chiefly of tiny crustaceans—shrimps three-quarters of an inch long.

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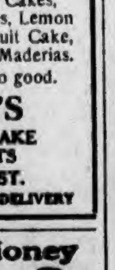

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SOOKE LAKE SYSTEM IS FORMALLY OPENED

Little Ceremony Marks Inauguration of Victoria's New Water Works Plant—Mayor Performs Official Act.

Little ceremony marked the formal opening of the Sooke Lake water works system yesterday morning shortly before noon at the head works at Sooke Lake. Mayor Stewart officially set the new source of the city's supply in motion citywards when, following brief speeches by Water Commissioner Rust and himself and a prayer by the Rev. Dr. Scott, pastor of the Metropolitan Methodist Church, he turned the wheel controlling one of the intake valves and allowed the lake water to flow into the intake. Other valves were operated by members of the City Council, and when three valves were opened a volume of water to the quantity of approximately 32,000,000 gallons per twenty-four hours was pouring through the intake and screen house and over the weir in the gate house into the chamber, whence runs the conduit pipe line to Humpback Reservior. About nine hours later the pipe line was discharging its load into Humpback Reservoir and from now on the Sooke Lake supply will be available for city use.

The party present at the ceremony was a comparatively small one, consisting of the Mayor and Aldermen Sargent, McMicking, Bell, Fullerton, McNeill, McCandless, Porter, Okell and Dilworth, Water Commissioner C. H. Rust, City Comptroller James L. Raymur, Commissioner Cuthbert, City Clerk Wellington J. Dowler, Assistant City Engineer A. E. Foreman, Fire Chief Davis, Mr. J. W. M. Telfer, secretary to Mayor Stewart; Mr. F. L. Young, resident engineer on the work; Mr. John L. Noble, secretary of the Vancouver Island Fire Underwriters' Association. Residents of the city and neighboring district who motored to the Lake to witness the ceremony comprised: Mr. R. L. Drury, Rev. Dr. Scott, Mr. F. M. McGregor, Mr. A. O. Stoakes, Mr. E. Drury, Mr. and Mrs. Losee, Mr. and Mrs. James Graham and Messrs. R., W. and Alexander Thompson, the three latter being residents of Saanich.

The Mayor, aldermen and civic officials motored from the City Hall, the run being made to the Lake in good time, despite the bad roads over the old Summit route.

Mayor Opens System

Following a brief inspection of the head works, the ceremony of opening the system was commenced shortly before noon and lasted only a few minutes. The party gathered on top of the intake chamber. Water Commissioner Rust, under whose supervision the work was completed following the taking over of the system from the Westholme Lumber Company two years ago, briefly referring to the steps leading up to the inauguration of the work and the difficulties which had been encountered through delays, etc., expressed his delight that at length the people of Victoria were about to receive that adequate supply for which they had contributed a large sum. He ventured the opinion that the ratepayers who would foot the bill would be equally delighted. He was only sorry that the gentleman who designed the system, Mr. Wynn Meredith, and Mr. Body Ehle, under whose supervision, as resident engineer, the greater portion had been completed in such a satisfactory manner, could not be present. Mr. Rust eulogised the work of Mr. Ehle, to whom, he averred, the citizens of Victoria owed a great debt.

Mr. Rust modestly omitted to make mention of his own labors in connection with the system, an omission which was fully rectified by Mayor Stewart, who was loud in his praises of the care shown by the water commissioner in the carrying out of his onerous duties. His Worship recalled the long periods during which the question of a more adequate water supply had been discussed, and he believed that of the members of the present civic government only three—himself, Alderman Fullerton and Mr. Raymur, former water commissioner, were connected with the city administration when the scheme was first projected. With the completion of the system, Victoria possessed a public utility which would do more than any other to build up a great city and help in the development of the neighboring districts. The supply to be inaugurated was of the best and in quantity ample for the needs of the city for many years to come.

Interested Spectators

His Worship thereupon formally opened the system by turning the wheel controlling one of the intake openings. As the water rushed into the chamber, the party gave three cheers and a "tiger." Aldermen Dilworth, Sargent, and Bell operated another of the wheels, and Aldermen Porter, McCandless and Ozell a third, and everyone stretched his or her neck in an effort to catch a glimpse of the water tumbling into the intake chamber. Mayor Stewart called upon the Rev. Dr. Scott to terminate the ceremony with prayer.

A visit to the interior of the gatehouse was then made and, after watching for a few minutes the mass of water as it poured over the weir, through the screens, an adjournment was made for luncheon, served at the residence of the caretaker of the head works, Mr. William Campbell, for the past fifteen years a valued member of the civic service and formerly in charge of the Elk Lake filtration plant. It was a splendid luncheon, and the trip out to the lake in the bracing atmosphere made everyone welcome it. Afterwards, some members of the party journeyed along the flow line for nearly three miles to the first syphon across the Sooke River. Others spent an hour fishing, Alderman Dilworth's promise of a large catch, however, not being realized.

Water Commissioner Rust supplied the members of the party with some data indicating what the system would do in the way of providing the city with a water supply, and to what extent the system can be increased. The main features of the system have been so often presented to the public that the Water Commissioner confined reference to the steps which led up to the adoption of Sooke Lake as a source of supply, or the subsequent history of the progress of the work. He gave figures to show the capabilities of the finished plant. The area of the lake at the original level of 655 feet above the sea was 976 acres, but was raised by the construction of the twelve-foot dam to 667 feet, and an area of 1,160 acres, with a storage capacity of 5,555,000,000 imperial gallons. By the utilization of the Leech River watershed, and the construction of a forty-five-foot dam at the first narrows, the storage capacity may be increased to 17,300,000,000 gallons. The area of the present watershed is 21 1-2 square miles. The continuous daily flow available at the present level is about 35,000,000 gallons, and with the raise of forty-five feet would aggregate double that quantity. The length of the forty-two-inch concrete flow line, constructed by the Pacific Lock Joint Pipe Company, from Sooke Lake to Humpback Reservoir, is 144,040 feet, of an estimated daily capacity of 30,000,000 gallons. Work on this line was commenced on May 14, 1914, and completed on May 8, 1915. The length of the thirty-six-inch steel rivated pipe line from Humpback Reservoir to the city, is 54,677 feet. Work on the fabrication of this line was commenced by the contractors, the Burrard Engineering Company, in July, 1914, and the laying was completed in January last. The Humpback reservoir has a capacity of 136,000,000 gallons, and a watershed area of one square mile.

The total quantity of earth excavated during the progress of the work was 180,342 cubic yards, and of rock, 150,517, yards.

On the point of cost, Mr. Rust stated that to date the outlay, not including the cost of expropriation of land for the right-of-way, watershed, reservoir site, but wholly for engineering and construction, had been $1,730,000. The cost of the land will amount to approximately $570,000. Excluding the cost for debenture discount and interest, the total cost of the system will, Mr. Rust estimated, total $2,500,000.

As indicating the change in values which time brings forth, Mr. Losee, who was an interested spectator of the opening proceedings, stated that twenty-one years ago the possibility of Sooke Lake as a source of water supply for Victoria was considered, and he and members of the then City Council, including Aldermen Humphreys, Baker and Ledingham, and Assistant City Engineer Parr visited the lake. Then every foot of land subsequently secured by the city could have been purchased for $1 per acre. The holdings of the late Mr. Healey, to whom the City paid approximately $24,000, could have been acquired for $2,400.

BATTALION REVIEW AT WILLOWS CAMP

Col. Ogilvie Inspects 48th and Compliments Men on Steadiness and Appearance—Advises Perseverance.

An inspection of the 48th Battalion by Col. Ogilvie, the district officer commanding, took place yesterday morning at the Willows Camp. Besides a large attendance of officers and men of other units, there were present upwards of 1,000 civilians. The spectacle was impressive, being rendered particularly so by the steadiness of the battalion, and the precision of the men in all movements, together with the splendid weather conditions.

Col. Ogilvie afterwards made a short address, in which he complimented the corps on its condition. He referred to the route marches which recently have been a feature of its work. He had heard of the satisfactory showing made in this work, but it was the first opportunity he had had of seeing the battalion on parade as a whole. He wished to say that he was pleased with the steadiness and the appearance of the men. They were getting into good condition, and he advised that the training be continued in order that they might be perfectly ready to leave at an early date.

Promptly at 11 o'clock the D.O.C., accompanied by the assistant adjutant of the 48th, rode on to the grounds. Drawn up in a long double column was the battalion at a strength of one thousand and fifty. There were four companies. After receiving the salute, Col. Ogilvie took up his position by a flag placed directly in front of the grand stand, when the battalion presented arms. Forming close columns on the right, it moved to the right in fours and, changing direction left, moved up, prior to the advance, in company column. Afterwards it formed into close column and, turning about, the column marched past in that order. This completed, it formed fours, changed direction right, and formed line on the left. Then the advance in review order, the most imposing movement of the morning, took place. Before the D.O.C. arms were presented and the general salute was sounded by the buglers. The corps went into close columns again and the inspection took place. Col. Ogilvie went over the entire personnel thoroughly. He was accompanied by Lt.-Col. Holmes, the adjutant and assistant adjutant.

It is announced that there are vacancies in the machine gun section of the 48th Battalion for several experienced men. Any who feel that they are qualified should make application at an early date.

Last evening the unit went out on a march, through the district in the vicinity of Victoria. It was gone for several hours, not returning until about 2 o'clock. Coffee and sandwiches were served at a prearranged spot, and, although the tramp was long and arduous, the men returned in the best of spirits.

Capt. Clayton, of the 48th, left yesterday to join the Dental Corps being assembled at Ottawa. Lieut. Clarke, who has practised here for some years, will leave today with the same object.

The Dental Corps is the first assembled in Canada since the outbreak of the war, the unit consisting of fifty-one qualified dentists, who will proceed to the front or wherever ordered. The corps will assemble in Ottawa on June 7, in command of Lt.-Col. Armstrong. Vancouver and Victoria are the two cities in this Province which have been called upon to send volunteers for service with the unit, the mainland city sending four or five men. Each dentist is taking an orderly as an assistant. About fifteen men qualified for dental work are already at the front with the Canadian Medical Corps, and may be amalgamated with the new unit.

Mothers in Kansas are allowed a pension of $15 per month for the first child and $6 a month for each additional child.

Post Cards of the Military Parade on Victoria Day, now on sale at Victoria Book & Stationery Co., Limited.

PTE. WATT WOUNDED IN RECENT FIGHTING

Letter Received Simultaneously With News of Injury, Tells of Well-Earned Rest After Great Battle.

News was received on Friday last at his home here that Private Watt, of the 50th Gordon Highlanders, had been wounded and, as if to illustrate the irony of war, within a few minutes of the arrival of the telegraph boy a letter was received telling of how the writer was enjoying a well-earned rest amid the beautiful orchards and green fields of sunny France.

It is surmised, for the authorities give no particulars, that Private Watt, who came safely through the famous charge of the Canadians at Hill 60, that after a brief rest, the 16th Battalion was rushed forward to dislodge the Germans from the orchard at Festubert, on the 22nd inst., and was wounded in that battle.

Writing from France, Thursday, May 6, he says: "We are at last away from all the fighting and enjoying a much-needed rest. We left the trenches, where we had been acting as reserves near the canal bank about 2 o'clock on Tuesday morning, and after a short march we lay in a field until 7:30 p.m., when we marched off again in a southerly direction, some twelve miles or more to a town we were in when we first came here. We arrived about 1 a. m., and it took us tramping around until 6 or 7 o'clock in the morning, when we finally located No. 1 Company's billets. Needless to say, we were all in; and there were very few that reached their destination that morning, but came into camp in two's and three's all next day, myself and another arriving about 7 in the evening, feeling in pretty good shape, but certainly needing food and rest.

"No doubt you have seen the Canadian casualty lists for those three or four days of hard fighting. We lost over 2,000 in our brigade alone. I ran across the 7th Battalion, the 88th of Victoria, in which several local boys were fighting.

"We are now billeted very comfortably. The weather is lovely and Spring-like. The blossoms on the trees in the orchards, the green fields, and the hedgerows all covered with May blossoms, and the birds singing; all this we can enjoy now that we are practically away from all danger and have time to notice other things besides dodging 'Jack Johnsons'' and 'Whiz Bangs,' a term I have given to a shell that comes with a short whiz and then bang before you can catch your breath.

"The scenery here is typically English, and certainly makes you think of —Oh! Well! I would rather be canoeing in the Gorge. The 30th arrived last night to reinforce us. I met Bob Meredith, Joe Mason, Stephens, amongst others. I hear the cuckoo singing, so will saw good-bye."

VICTORIA BEARS PALM FOR BEAUTY

Mr. F. W. Witham Returns From Southern Trip—Saw Many Beautiful Sights, but None to Beat Those Here.

Mr. F. W. Witham, the general secretary of the local Y. M. C. A., returned to town yesterday from a three weeks' trip south, during which he attended the international Y. M. C. A. conference at Asilomar.

Mr. Witham first visited Portland, and was present at the celebration of the golden wedding of his parents. This happy domestic gathering was a very notable one, as it was the first time in the history of Mr. Witham's family, all of whom emigrated from England and are scattered in various cities on this continent, that the whole family of nine have been gathered together round their father's table.

At the Asilomar conference there were as many as 300 delegates present from the various States of the American Union and from the Canadian Provinces. The entire work of the organization was discussed and resolutions adopted providing for new lines of work. The reports from all centres of the association's work showed a growth of interest and of membership, but the complaint of hard times and the need of retrenchment was general, depression being chiefly manifested in the whole of the West from Canada to Mexico. Dr. Jno. R. Mott spoke very encouragingly at the conference, and dwelt on the opportunities which would be presented in the next decade for the activities of the association, with interesting notes on the Y. M. C. A. work at the front and in military camps.

On leaving Asilomar Mr. Witham and the other delegates were taken by special train to the grove of big redwoods dedicated to the Y. M. C. A. in 1887 at the time of the last international conference held on the Coast, where a service was held. After visiting various other places in California, Mr. Witham and party proceeded to San Francisco where they inspected the big $750,000 building of the Y. M. C. A. in that city and spent a short time at the World's Fair. Mr. Witham was much impressed with the Canadian exhibit which he describes as far and away the best and most beautifully arranged of the whole exhibition, the next best in his opinion being that of California. In spite of all the interesting places visited and sights seen on his vacation trip, Mr. Witham has returned to Victoria more than ever convinced that Vancouver Island, and Victoria in particular, bears the palm for natural beauty from all other places which he has ever seen in his somewhat extended travels.

CENTRAL UNION, W. C. T. U.

Annual Meeting Notes Encouraging Reports of Work of Year—Election of Officers

On Thursday afternoon the annual meeting of the Central Union of the W. C. T. U. was held in the Root Room of the Y. W. C. A. Mrs. Norman presided, and there was a fair attendance of members.

Reports showed that meetings had been held regularly and that instructive and helpful papers had been read by Mrs. Spofford, Miss Wark, Mrs. Graves and Mrs. Norman.

The union had contributed $160 to help lift the mortgage on the W. C. T. U. property. The members had helped with the work for the soldiers of the I. O. D. E. and had helped the Red Cross Society. The union had made a collection for the pester campaign.

A letter had been written to the member for Victoria advocating prohibition during the war, and a petition signed asking that the soldiers at the front should not be supplied with intoxicating liquors. A letter of sympathy was sent to Miss Hall, a generous member of the union, on the death of her sister.

The following officers were elected by acclamation. President, Mrs. Norman; vice-president, Mrs. Webster; treasurer, Mrs. Harte; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Wellwood; recording secretary, Mrs. A. E. Johnson. Delegates appointed to the convention in Vancouver in June: Mesdames Norman, Webster, Sproule, McLorrie and Johnson.

Births, Marriages, Deaths

DEATHS

HARPER—At 1593 Vancouver Street, on May 26, at 6 p. m., Harris Mayes, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Harper, aged 19 years, 6 days. A native of Victoria, B. C. Late employee of Water Rights Office, Provincial Government.

The funeral will take place from the family residence, 1593 Vancouver Street, today at 2:30, and 15 minutes later from St. John's Church. Interment in Ross Bay Cemetery. Fredericton, N. B., papers, please copy.

BYRNE—On the 24th inst., at the St. Joseph's Hospital, Gladys May Byrne, aged 13 years and 6 months, a native daughter, and the only child of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Byrne, of 816 Fingard Street. She attended the Girls' Central School and was a favorite among her schoolmates, and the news of her death will come as a great shock to her many playmates, as she was loved by all who knew her.

The funeral will take place on Saturday, the 29th inst., from her late home at 9:45 o'clock, fifteen minutes later mass will be held at St. Andrew's Cathedral by the Rev. Father Lefeme. Interment Ross Bay Cemetery.

TOMS—On Thursday, the 27th inst., at Cordova Bay, Henry Lewis Toms, aged 45 years. He leaves to mourn his loss a widow, five sons and three daughters.

The funeral will take place today (Saturday) at 2 p. m., from the residence, Cordova Bay. The cortege will proceed to St. Luke's Church, Cedar Hill, and from there to Ross Bay Cemetery, where the interment will be held.

COUPLAND—On the 27th inst., at 749 Laurel Street, Clara Coupland, aged 35 years, born in England.

Funeral service from Thomson's Funeral Chapel at 3 o'clock today. Interment at Ross Bay Cemetery. Friends kindly accept this intimation.

CARD OF THANKS

To all those who so kindly sent volunteers and expressions of sympathy in the time of our sore bereavement, we wish to express our heartfelt thanks.

MRS. W. J. MORGAN.

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MAJOR MORAHT'S VIEW

Berlin Military Expert Professes to Believe That Germany Can Still Withstand All Attacks

ROTTERDAM, May 28.—Reviewing war situation in The Berliner-Tageblatt, Major Moraht, while generally very optimistic, says with reference to Italy's intervention:

"Germans must not expect that in one conquering fight our flags will be carried to their goal. Good news will alternate with bad, but our confidence, which has withstood the greatest trials, need in no way be shaken."

As to the situation in the West, Major Moraht says:

"The Allies chose an unfavorable point in the line for their Spring offensive, and the question now arises, will they try luck in a new district, when, perhaps, their Italian auxiliaries have answered their cry for help?

"The active artillery fighting between the Meuse and the Moselle we must look upon as preparation for coming events by our enemies, for they can only attempt an offensive there after our artillery has been beaten down. But there is no prospect at all of this, and, as Italy's artillery does not stand at such a height that it can strike a decisive blow, we can answer our new enemy's guns with our usual calmness.

"The marvellous division of our forces makes it possible at the same time to be strongly on the defensive in the West, victorious in the North, irresistible in the Southeast, and strong and ready in the South."

Experiments with electric ploughing in Italy give the cost as follows: Animals, $3.30 to $3.75 per acre; electric power, $4.

In Women's Realm

BY MARIA LAWSON

THE MARCHIONESS OF LANSDOWNE

"Methinks I See"

(The following poem appeared in The London Times during the Boer War, and was written by Dr. William Alexander, Archbishop of Armagh.)

Methinks I see how spirits may be tried,
Transfigured into beauty on war's verge,
Like flowers, whose tremulous grace is learned beside
The trampling of the surge.

And now, not only Englishmen at need
Have won a fiery and unequal fray,—
No infantry has ever done such deed
Since Albuera's day!

Those who live on amid our homes to dwell
Have grasped the higher lessons that endure,—
The gallant private learns to practice well
His heroism obscure.

His heart beats highest one for whom is made
A mighty music solemnly, what time
The oratorio of the cannonade
Rolls through the hills sublime.

Yet his the dangerous posts that few can mark,
The crimson death, the dread unerring aim,
The fatal ball that whizzes through the dark,
The just-recorded name—

The faithful following of the flag all day,
The duty done that brings no nation's thanks,
The Ama Nesciri of some grim and gray
A-Kempis of the ranks.

These are the things our common weal to guard,
The patient strength that is too proud to press,
The duty done for duty, not reward,
The lofty littleness.

A Noble Lady

The Marquis of Lansdowne has proved his loyalty by taking a position in the Cabinet of his great political opponent, Mr. Asquith. As leader of the party in the House of Lords, the Marquis of Lansdowne represents the Conservatives of Great Britain, and his loyalty to his principles is unquestioned. Yet he has chosen at this crisis to serve his country rather than his party.

In Great Britain women of the great houses wield much political influence and very often are stronger partisans than their husbands and brothers. Yet, at the outbreak of the war, the Marchioness of Lansdowne and her daughter, the Duchess of Devonshire, gave up their homes to be used as depots for supplies for the soldiers. They themselves went to work with a great staff of helpers. Their example has been followed throughout the length and breadth of the United Kingdom and mansions have been given for hospitals, clubs have been established, while noble women by the thousands have worked and given of their means to prevent distress and to perfect the equipment of the army and navy.

The marchioness of Lansdowne is an old lady now, with children's children growing up around her. Her noble husband has served the Empire and the nation in many capacities. He has been Lord of the Treasury, Under-Secretary of War, Under-Secretary for India, Governor-General of Canada, Governor-General of India. On his return from India Lord Lansdowne again took office, becoming Secretary of War from 1895 to 1900 and Foreign Secretary from 1900 to 1905. Now, at 70 years of age, Lord Lansdowne brings his wealth of knowledge and experience to aid in the government of the country and the conduct of the war.

The Marchioness of Lansdowne and her noble husband are alike willing to serve their country in any capacity, to bury, if need be, old animosities, to conquer old prejudices and to work for her salvation with all who are loyal to her cause. To men and women in every part of the Empire the example this fine old couple are setting and the lesson they are teaching is a call that should be heeded. In the task in which they are engaged each of us has our share, and it will be well if we enter upon it inspired by faithfulness and devotion such as theirs, remembering we, too, are Britons.

A Privilege

The invitation of the Canadian Club to the members of the sister society to be present at the address of Dr. Sarolea today will be esteemed a great privilege. To hear a Belgian scholar speak of what has transpired in his country since last August will give them a more vivid idea of the events that have transpired and of the duty toward the much wronged people than the reading of many articles on the subject. No doubt a large number will show their appreciation of the courtesy extended by their attendance.

Tooth Brushes

It is very startling to be told that the tooth brush is a menace to the gums and teeth of the diligent user. Most of us are familiar with the campaign which is being waged in most modern cities against dirty teeth. School nurses in Toronto and other Canadian cities have been teaching pupils how to use tooth brushes. Dentists have free clinics, extracting decayed teeth and filling unsound ones. Each boy and girl is then advised to use a tooth brush regularly and often in order to keep the teeth in order and to heal the diseased gums.

And how comes Dr. Bernard Feldman, of Perth Amboy, N. J., who declares that tooth brushes are disseminators of disease and ruinous to the tender tissue of the healthy gum. He and several other investigators have discovered that it is impossible to clean a tooth brush thoroughly. It cannot be boiled and disinfecting lotions will injure the bristles. Moreover, it does not reach the spaces between the teeth, where the foreign bodies that cause infection lodge. The effect of the brush on the tooth itself is bad and it injures the gum.

In proof of the danger of infection from the brush the following statement is made: "Twelve sterile brushes were used in these experiments, applied once on the teeth, rinsed ten times in a tumbler of water, were left to stand for twelve hours, when all the bristles were removed and the organisms counted in the usual way." In eight of these the brush contained a quantity of germs.

Dr. Feldman asks that an unbiased board or commission of dentists shall be appointed not only to ascertain the truth or falsity of these statements, but to discover how teeth ought to be cleaned. The use of silk floss is recommended, and pastes, powders and lotions are declared to be beneficial.

While without further proof it is not necessary that the use of the brush should be abandoned, everyone, and especially children, should keep their tooth brushes as clean as possible and buy new ones frequently.

The primitive Japanese method of cleaning the teeth and massaging the gums with a clean forefinger, using silk floss to remove impurities from the spaces between the teeth, is recommended, and in the case of little children, at least, could do no harm.

A Good Example

H. R. H. the Duchess of Connaught encourages the children of Ottawa by giving prizes for the prettiest flower garden. There is a Flower Guild in the capital city consisting of prominent ladies and gentlemen, who devote time and means to the encouragement of the cultivation of gardens by the children.

In our own city the Department of Education has set such a movement on foot, but the teachers, so far, have received no popular support. Are not the beautification of our city and the cultivation of a love of beauty in the children worthy of the consideration of people of means and leisure?

The beauty of the large private grounds in and around Victoria would lead to the belief that sufficient interest in horticulture was taken in our city. It is hard to reconcile this with the indifference shown to the work of the children.

For the Red Cross

Montreal has set out to raise $100,000 for the Red Cross, and much interest has been taken by people of all sorts and conditions in the campaign. Montreal is a very large and wealthy city, but it has had many calls on its generosity and its patriotism. That its citizens have been ready to respond to the needs of the Red Cross is the more praiseworthy on this account.

The great numbers of wounded and disabled soldiers must be provided for by those who are well and strong and have anything to spare for their necessities.

This year anything like extravagant expenditure is to be deprecated. The calls for money are so great that all who have to spare should, instead of spending upon themselves, aid those who are in distress at home and abroad. It is said that women in England are dressing plainly and that anything in the nature of ostentation is looked upon with disfavor. The example of these ladies in the Old Land is one that people with smaller means would do well to follow.

If money is spent on expensive dress or luxuries of any kind it cannot be given away, and, at present, no one can foresee what will be the amount needed for the Red Cross and other patriotic purposes as well as to help the sick and the poor at home.

A Hint

A lady reports that some of the men who remove the garbage take the cans out uncovered, and sometimes leave them on the street long enough for ashes and pieces of paper to blow about and for foul odors to escape. Perhaps these men, who have their own troubles, only need a hint to make them more careful.

Housekeepers who burn everything that can be easily consumed, will save the health authorities much trouble. Garbage cans are often much more offensive than is at all necessary. There is no doubt, however, that collectors of refuse should keep the cans covered as long as possible and cover the refuse carefully after it is emptied. This is not a savory subject, but it is an important one.

COMING EVENTS

Orange Ladies' Dance—A dance will be held in St. John's Hall on May 31, under the auspices of the (New) Queen of the Island Ladies' Orange Lodge. Dancing will commence at 9 p. m. and continue to 1 a. m.

Jubilee Hospital—The monthly early celebration of Holy Communion will be held tomorrow in the Pemberton Chapel, Jubilee Hospital, at 8 a. m., followed by the regular service at 10 a. m.

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Miss Burke appeals to her audience at all times and in the character of "Jerry" makes her appeal at once. Her enunciation is distinct, and her manner is very natural. There was a large and appreciative audience.

The role of "Jerry" is particularly well suited to Miss Burke's style and mannerisms. She is supported by an excellent company, all the members of which are admirably suited to their respective tasks. The principal male parts are taken by H. Lawrence, Layton and Shelley Hull, whose acting is clever and in good taste. Selene Johnson and Alice John are both very well adapted to their parts and give full value to their speeches and acting. The minor parts are taken by Thomas Reynolds, William Gome and Edwin Burch, and their work adds materially in gaining the success of the production.

Tonight's performance will commence at the usual time, and judging from the large size of last night's audience the theatre will be crowded to capacity, for the play is appealing to all. Miss Burke has extended an invitation to the officers of H. M. S. Kent to be present.

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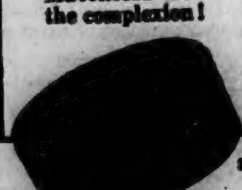

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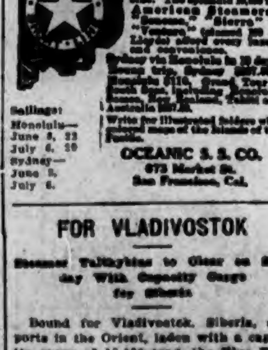

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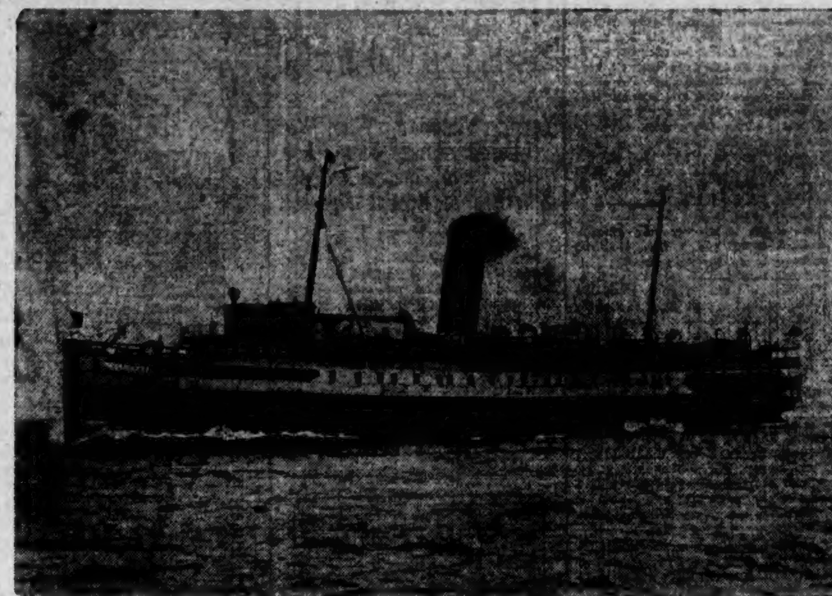

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C.P.R. coaster which has been drydocked for overhaul preparatory to entering the Summer excursion trade between Victoria and Alaska.

SUMMER SERVICE TO ALASKA INAUGURATED

First Sailing Under the New Schedule Taken by Princess Sophia Last Night—Princess Alice Overhauling.

It was announced at the C. P. R. offices yesterday that the steamer Princess Alice had been hauled out at Esquimalt for overhaul to be in readiness to take her place next week in the Summer trade between Victoria and Alaska.

The new service to the North was inaugurated last night, when the steamer Princess Sophia left port for Vancouver en route for Skagway. A large number of passengers have been booked for the initial Summer voyage and when the Sophia leaves the Terminal City tonight she will have the greater part of her accommodation taken up.

A weekly service is to be maintained until the Fall, the steamers Princess Sophia and Princess Alice sailing from Victoria on alternate Fridays.

The Princess Alice will be ready to take up the running on Friday next. She is to make six round trips to Skagway. Most of her space will be booked from the East, and it is anticipated that large parties of tourists will take advantage of the opertion of this splendid boat to witness the wonders of the great Northland.

Commencing tomorrow the C. P. R. will inaugurate its tri-daily service between Victoria and Vancouver, the morning boat again being placed in service, as was the case last Summer. Steamers will leave here for the Mainland port at 10:30 a. m., 3 p. m. and 11:45 p. m. daily, and arrive from Vancouver at 7 a. m., 2:45 p. m. and 6:30 p. m. daily.

Instead of the usual sailing at 5:30 p. m., the Seattle steamer will leave here at 4:30 p. m., but the time of arrival from the Sound port will remain the same.

SHOAL POINT BUOY TO BE DISCONTINUED

By July 1, Inner Harbor Channel Will Be Widened to Lighted Beacon

British Columbia (181) Vancouver Island — Southeast coast — Victoria harbor—Westward to Shoal point—Buoy to be discontinued. Former notice: No. 15 (44) of 1914. Position: Westward of Shoal point. Buoy to be discontinued. On or about July 1, 1915, the red spar buoy, which marks the extremity of the shoal off Shoal point, Victoria harbor, will be withdrawn without further notice. About this date the channel will be widened up to Shoal point lighted beacon, which will then mark the extremity of the shoal.

British Columbia (182) Vancouver Island—East coast—Colburne passage—Intended change in character of buoys—(1) Position of buoy: Southward of Piers Island, on the south side of the channel, Colburne passage; lat. N. 48 deg. 41 min. 28 sec., long. W. 123 deg. 25 min. 30 sec. Alteration: The black platform buoy will, without further notice, be replaced by a wooden spar buoy. Color: Black. (2) Position of buoy: Southward of Piers Island, on the north side of the channel, Colburne passage; lat. N. 48 deg. 41 min. 42 sec. long. W. 123 deg. 25 min. 24 sec. Alteration: The red platform buoy will, without further notice, be replaced by a wooden spar buoy. Color: Red.

Mexico (183) Lower California—Port San Bartolome—Uncharted rocks—The following information about two uncharted rocks in Port San Bartolome has been furnished by the Japanese naval intelligence officer to the officer in charge of the Chart Depot at Esquimalt—(1) Position of rock: 0.8 mile 298 deg. 45 min. (N. 74 deg. W. Mag.) from Entrance rock. Depth: About 4 1-2 fathoms. (2) Position of rock: 0.24 mile 247 deg. 45 min. (N. 25 deg. W. Mag.) from Entrance rock. Depth: About 4 1-2 fathoms. Remarks: Buoys have been placed temporarily to mark the positions of these rocks.

(180) Caution when approaching British ports—Mariners are warned that, when approaching a British port where the Examination Service is in force, they must have the distinguishing signal of their vessel ready to hoist immediately the examination steamer makes the signal.

FOR VLADIVOSTOK

Steamer Talthybius to Clear on Sunday With Capacity Cargo for Siberia

Bound for Vladivostok, Siberia, and ports in the Orient, laden with a capacity cargo of 15,000 tons, the Blue Funnel Line steamship Talthybius, Capt. Cullum, is due to arrive at the Outer Docks at 7 o'clock on Sunday morning from Seattle.

While here the Talthybius will take on a small shipment of freight and a number of Oriental steerage passengers. The local agents state that the Talthybius will clear direct from this port for Vladivostok.

Output on Clyde

The Clyde shipyards during the month of March put out 42,401 tons of mercantile vessels, and during the quarter ending with that month, 106,[illegible] tons.

GOES TO WEST COAST

Sugar Carrier John A. Hooper From Cuba, to Load for Chile and Peru

The American schooner John A. Hooper, with Cuban sugar from Matanzas for Vancouver, for her next outward voyage is to carry general freight and combustibles from Tacoma for ports in Central America, Peru and Chile

WIRELESS REPORT
(By Government Wireless)

6 p.m.
Point Grey—Cloudy; calm; 29.98; 63; sea smooth.
Cape Lazo—Rain; N. W., light; 29.95; 51; sea moderate.
Pachena—Clear; calm; 29.68; 62; sea smooth.
Estevan—Clear; N. W., light; 29.81; 55; sea smooth.
Alert Bay—Showers; S. E.; 29.80; 52; sea smooth.
Triangle—Clear; S. W., light; 30.02; 50; sea moderate.
Deadtree Point—Cloudy; S. E.; 29.90; 51; sea smooth.
Ikeda Bay—Cloudy; S. E.; 29.80; 55; sea moderate.
Prince Rupert—Showers; S. E., fresh; 29.80; 53; sea smooth.

BIG OPIUM PLOT ON NAVARRE IS BARED

Chinese Cook Aboard Harrison Steamer Gives Evidence Eagerly at Inquiry Into Smuggling Attempt.

PORTLAND, May 28.—Choy Wong, Chinese cook of the British steamer Crown of Navarre, made a full confession to Assistant United States Attorney Rankin of his part in the attempt to smuggle opium, which led to his arrest and that of Chew Sim, a Portland Chinaman, and James Flynn, a white seaman on the vessel.

Before Wong's confession was taken down Mr. Rankin attempted to make clear to him that it was to be a voluntary confession, without promise of reward. "You understand what this means," he explained carefully. "No promise of reward means that we do not promise you any favors or that you will get less imprisonment, or less time in jail, and we don't threaten you that you must confess."

Wong looked dazed at this explanation, until a customs inspector translated it for him, like this:

"You sabe; you no have speakee. You speakee, all right; you no speakee, all right."

"Yes," replied Wong, and after that he talked eagerly. He said he bought 20 tins of the opium in Liverpool for $10 a can, and was to sell it in Portland for $18 a can. Flynn, the white man, who was arrested as he was starting up town with 18 tins concealed in his clothes, confessed Monday, so the Government's case is complete.

Chew Sim, a dapper little Chinese, employed by the Bow Tai Wo Company, who was arrested when he went aboard the Crown of Navarre the day after Wong and Flynn were arrested, to buy some of the opium, is responsible for what Deputy United States Marshals consider a good joke on Harry Strowbridge, customs-house inspector, who searched him. Strowbridge is an experienced "frisker," and when he got $500 in gold from Sim's clothes, he thought he had done a pretty good job. Not long afterwards one of the deputy marshals made a supplementary search before taking Chew Sim to jail, and found an additional $395 in Chew Sim's watch pocket. It was in gold, too, and made a bulky package.

APPOINTED EXAMINER

Captain A. M. Davis' Duties at Prince Rupert Date From May 1

Captain Alan Morton Davis, first officer of the steamship Prince Rupert, has been appointed examiner for all grades of masters' and mates' certificates from May 1, 1915.

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CAPTAIN SAITO TO COMMAND NEW LINER

Master of Seattle Maru Slated for Berth on First of New O. S. K. Steamers Completing for Transpacific Service.

Command of one of the new liners now completing in Japan for the Osaka Shosen Kaisha transpacific service, is to be given to Capt. Saito, who for many years has been operating between Oriental and British Columbia ports as master of the O. S. K. liner Seattle Maru.

News to this effect was brought from Yokohama by the Japanese steamship Panama Maru, which arrived in port yesterday after completing an average passage from the Far East.

It has not been definitely decided which of the new ships will be placed in charge of Capt. Saito, but it will probably be the Manila Maru, which has already been launched from the Kawasaki shipyards at Kobe, and is now being fitted out for this trade. The sister liner Hawaii Maru is about to be launched from the Mitsu Bishi yards at Nagasaki.

Both are seventeen knot craft and each of approximately 10,000 tons register, being the largest and fastest Japanese vessels ever built for the North Pacific trade between Hong Kong and Victoria. The Osaka Shosen Kaisha is planning to have the Manila Maru and the Hawaii Maru in this service by September, when the Seattle Maru and the Panama Maru will be withdrawn to make room for the new craft.

Panama Had Fine Run

Remarkably fine weather marked the voyage of the Panama Maru from Yokohama to this Coast. There was a total absence of storms, and the large number of passengers greatly enjoyed the trip.

The movement of freight from the Orient at the present time is very heavy, the Panama Maru carrying her full capacity. The bulk of the cargo was consigned to Puget Sound, less than 200 tons being discharged at the Outer Docks. Included in the cargo brought in by the Japanese liner was a shipment of 1,600 bales of raw silk, a big consignment of new-crop tea, and shipments of hemp, rice, sake, miso, porcelain, rattan furniture and Japanese sugar. Forty-six steerage passengers disembarked at this port.

The Panama Maru had completed discharging and was ready to clear for the Sound by 10:30 a. m. yesterday, but she was delayed three hours awaiting the arrival of Pilot Grant, who arrived on the gulf-ferry Princess Victoria to take the Japanese liner over to Seattle.

PACIFIC MAIL MAY FLY NIPPON FLAG

News Brought by the Panama Maru From Orient Indicates That Japanese Capital May Control Transpacific Fleet.

Japanese capital has been offered a majority of shares in the Pacific Mail Steamship Company, with the intention of placing the Sunrise flag of Dai Nippon over the liners Manchuria, Siberia, Mongolia, China and Korea, when the recently enacted American Seamen's Bill becomes effective, according to reports circulating in Japan, word of which was brought here by the O. S. K. liner Panama Maru. It is reported that a controlling interest in the Pacific Mail has been offered to Japanese investors, and the indications appear to be that the proposition will be accepted.

The quantity of freight offered at Asiatic ports is said to warrant keeping the Pacific Mail steamships in service. Heavy shipments of cargo are left behind with each sailing of transpacific liners, and vessels depart from Yokohama filled to the hatch covers with valuable freight.

Considerable speculation has been rampant regarding the possible disposition of the Pacific Mail fleet when the new seamen's bill goes into effect, it being claimed that the company cannot operate profitably under the provisions of the bill.

Announcement was made some time ago by the Pacific Mail that its transpacific sailings would be suspended after November next.

Lawn Bowling Draw

The drawings have been made for the championship singles and doubles for this season and members are requested to consult the charts at the club rooms and arrange with their opponents or partners (as the case may be) to have the various contests played off at as early a date as possible.

DISASTER CLAIMS ANOTHER VICTIM

Fifth Engineer Patterson, Former Victorian, Was Aboard Princess Irene When She Was Blown to Atoms.

The destruction of the C. P. R. steamer Princess Irene by a disastrous explosion aboard at Sheerness on Thursday, with the loss of nearly 400 lives, was responsible for the death of another Victorian. Fifth Engineer Patterson was a member of the engine room staff of the Princess Irene under Chief Engineer James Wallace.

Mr. Alexander Paterson was widely known here during the two years he was engaged as engineer on the steamship Venture, of the Union Steamship Company. A cable was received last evening by his aunt, Mrs. James Paterson, of 1605 Belcher Street, conveying the information of his death. The cable came from Mr. Paterson's parents who are residing in Scotland.

The late Mr. Paterson left Victoria on November 5 last on a visit to his parents and while there he joined the engineering staff of the Princess Irene, with the rank of Engineer Lieutenant. Only recently his relatives here received a letter from him announcing this fact, and stating that as the Princess Irene had been chartered by the Imperial Government as a mine-laying ship he would undoubtedly soon be witnessing stirring events. His many friends here will be deeply grieved to hear of his death.

RECORDS BROKEN BY 'VARSITY STUDENTS

One intercollegiate record and one Northwest record were broken in the dual track meet recently between the University of Washington and the Washington State College, won by the former, 71 to 56 points.

Rupert Edmonds, Washington's weight man, proved the phenomenon of the day, breaking the American collegiate record in the discus, throwing it 140 feet 11 inches. Edmonds was working in rare form from the beginning and heaved the discus with unbeatable accuracy. The new Washington mark stands above the record by Garrels, of the University of Michigan, which was 140 feet 2½ inches, made in 1906 in the Middle West conference meet. The highest record made last year in this conference was 129 feet 7 inches.

Smith, of Washington State College, took second place in the plaudits of the students, winning the two-mile in 9 minutes 45 4-5 seconds, beating the conference record of 9 minutes 50 1-5 seconds, held by McClelland, of Washington. Smith finished yesterday's two-mile race in rare form, sprinting with great power to the finish well in the lead of his college mate Schlatchter, and McDonald, of Washington.

Few meets ever held on the Washington campus have been more keenly fought, with brilliant finishes, than yesterday's. The 440-yard dash, won by Gray, of Washington, was one of these spectacular finishes. The Washington quarter-miler fell into the tape just ahead of Schlatchter, with Dixon a close third.

Stenstrom, Washington's freshman sprinter, proved himself superior to the veteran runners of the two colleges, taking the 100-yard dash from Miller, of W. S. C., and Knapp, of Washington. The time was slow, due to a stiff wind and up-hill ru[illegible]

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CANADIANS MEET AND DEFEAT ENEMY

Two Local Soldiers Give Graphic Descriptions of Charge on German Lines—Struggle in Wood.

Two graphic descriptions of the Canadians' encounter with the Germans at Ypres are given by Victoria soldiers at the front who took part in the repulse of the enemy and were wounded in so doing. One is from Pte. C. Campbell, who writes Mrs. A. Miles, of 1240 Stanley Avenue, and the other comes from Pte. J. K. McKenzie, of the 16th Battalion, to Mr. J. Thompson.

Pte. Campbell, who is convalescent and is recuperating in Swansea, says, in part:

"I write you this note to let you know that I am among the wounded. I got a bullet through the leg. I tried my best to go forward but I had to lay down and put my bandage on the wound to stop the blood. I was taken away in a motor ambulance to a place called St. Omer. I stayed there one night and then proceeded to the Canadian hospital near Boulogne. We stayed there from Saturday night till Monday noon. They were awfully nice to us as we were the first big lot of Canadians to come there. They were glad to see us alive after such a battle. On Monday we came across the water to England. I was in Cardiff, Wales, for a week and then I moved to this place. There are fifteen of us in a gentleman's house, a beautiful place it is. He is a big coal owner. We are treated like Lords. They treat us to the theatres and we have motor drives almost every day. This is a lovely country. I am getting along fine. The wound is healing as fast as can be expected. As it was a flesh wound it will not take so long.

Talks of Fight

"I will now tell you something about the big fight we had. We were at Ypres at the time. We were newly out of the trenches the night before so we were looking forward to a nice rest as we were in the trenches for four days. The other half of our brigade relieved us. On the afternoon of the 22nd April terrible shelling commenced. The shells were bursting all around us and they were shelling the town of Ypres. About 3 o'clock we saw the French troops running away from the trenches so we wondered what had happened. They told us that the Germans were using poisonous gases and that they could not stand it as it would kill them all. By this time the Germans broke through the French line in thousands and would have surrounded the whole of the Canadian division and have got in front of the British lines. We got orders to fall in. The first thing we did was to dig ourselves in along the canal. Then we got orders to move up towards the wood where the Germans were. When we got up near to the place we halted and took off our packs. Our battalion and the 10th Battlion Canadians formed up in ten lines and then we advanced. We did not get far when the Germans opened a most murderous fire with artillery, machine guns and rifle fire. We were told to charge. We had to go about 800 yards in the open. I did not expect to see a man get through alive. We advanced in good order. I did not get as far as the first line of trenches but our boys did gallant work. They drove the enemy back with the bayonet. We lost heavily, almost everyone in the battalion getting hit. By this time more Canadians came up to reinforce us. We drove the Germans back with heavy losses. The whole division lost heavily.

"I cannot explain to you the gallantry of the Canadians. It was magnificent.

"This is an awful war. You can't realize how awful it is unless you see for yourself."

Pte. Thompson, who writes under date of May 6 from Cardiff, Wales, says:

A "Dandy" Mix-Up

"I arrived here on May 1, from Rouen, France, and am just beginning to feel a bit easy. I got mine on the morning of the 23rd of April (Friday). You have heard fellows talk of h—l turned loose, but you should have seen that mix-up! I suppose the papers will have it all by this time. The 16th Battalion, which is composed of Gordons, Seaforths, Camerons, Argyles and Sutherlands, were resting in Ypres as we just came out of the trenches the day before. On Thursday, 22nd, I was talking to some of the fellows near where our gun limbers were standing when the Germans started sending a few of their thirteen-inch shells over. One dropped about 100 yards from us on the street, killing a number of people who were trying to get out of town and from about 3 o'clock that day it simply rained h—l. About 4 o'clock we saw a lot of the French colonial troops, the Zouaves (African troops) running into town. They were coming in such great numbers that we made for our billets as fast as we could go as everyone knew by then that something was in the line. About five minutes after we got there, "fall in" sounded and we were told that the Germans had got through the French lines.

"We started out for the line as hard as we could, as they said that the rest of the boys were fighting like h—l to hold it until we got there. As we were passing some of the other troops along the road you ought to have heard them cheering us and wishing us Godspeed. We were getting pretty close to where we turned off to our right to go to the line, when the General sent word to us to turn to our left as the German troops had come through about two miles and had entrenched themselves near a wood. So we cut across country to head them off. When we came to about 500 or 600 yards of where they were supposed to be we were told that the Germans were in the woods yonder and that some of the Canadian guns were there also, and it was up to us to put the Germans back and save those guns at all costs. The order was given to fix bayonets, and a few minutes after we were told to advance. We got to about 100 yards from their position when they turned everything loose. The shells that were dropped around us right about before then we didn't mind, but the rain of lead that they poured into us then was something awful. The men went down in hundreds, but we went right after them and we sure gave them a taste of cold steel. We met them out of the first trench which was in front of the wood and then chased them through that wood, which I never expected to get through alive. It was something awful in there, and it seemed hours before we got to the other side where the guns were.

"Thank God we got there, but our lines were getting pretty thin by that time. There was a small fort about fifty yards from the edge of the wood which ten other fellows and myself made a run for. Four of us got there alive and found the most horrible sight I ever saw. There were about fifty German dead lying there and eight other Germans were sticking the bayonet into their own men time and time again. They were completely mad. Shortly after they got me through the leg. That wasn't so bad, but one of the wounded stuck me a bit with his steel and I went down. It was getting on towards daylight then and I managed to drag myself back a bit until the boys gave me a lift to the dressing station. It was an experience I hope we will never have to go through again.

"The gas they use is something hellish. It brings tears to your eyes like a shower of water, and in a few minutes you get blind and big blisters come over your eyelids. But with all their hellish tricks our boys stuck it to the very last. But we sure lost a lot of men. Our list to date is something like 2,800 casualties in the 1st Brigade alone, and for the Canadian division it stands something like 232 officers and 6,034 rank and file, so you see the Canadian Scotties, as we in the 3rd Brigade are known, got a bad cutting up. When you see Cadger again tell him I was going to write to him about a hundred times but put it off from time to time.

"Everybody over here can't do enough for us. Jim Cadger told me not to disgrace the Gordon kilt whatever I did, so you just ask him if he thinks we did what we could. When we were being taken out of the firing line the British troops could be heard for miles as they cheered us and, believe me, it made a fellow forget his pain for awhile. They say that if they had had the Canadians with them at the start that they would be fighting on German ground today.

"The German troops that we were up against were mostly the Prussian Guard, and they certainly are a fine body of men to look at. But when we got to close quarters with them they would not stand their ground and fight. We drove them back about three-quarters of a mile up to the time I got mine.

"The line at present is as solid as steel, and they will have an awful time getting through like that again. The day before they broke through they were reinforced by 60,000 fresh troops, but if our losses are heavy there are thousands of German dead lying around the fields yet, and it is a number of days since they were left there. We are all over the country at present and, as fresh wounded troops arrive, we that have been here for a couple of weeks are shifted to some other hospital."

MR. R. GRIGG TO CONFER WITH BOARD OF TRADE

Phases of Lumber Industry Will Be Discussed Today—Mr. W. B. Lanigan to Meet Board Committee Monday.

The Board of Trade has arranged for two important conferences, the first of which will be held today between the special committee on lumber and Mr. Richard Grigg, Imperial Trade Commissioner for Canada, who is now visiting the Coast. Mr. Grigg left yesterday for Chemainus where he spent some time in inspecting the big lumber mill there and gaining information with regard to the capacity and facilities possessed by the establishment for preparing and shipping timber.

A number of interesting topics in connection with the lumbering industry of this Province will be dealt with at the meeting and practically every phase of the business will be discussed. The committee on lumber will endeavor to impress upon Mr. Grigg the volume of the Provincial output and the means available for its shipment with the object of improving the trade in lumber with the Mother Country and the British Colonies.

The other conference, which will be held on Monday next, will be with Mr. W. B. Lanigan, general freight agent of the C. P. R., of Winnipeg, who is on a tour of the Western lines. The board committee on railway freights will be at the meeting to bring before Mr. Lanigan a number of complaints in the freight service which have arisen since his last visit to the Capital. The committee has presented an invitation to the shippers of this city, who have grievances, to attend and to communicate in the meantime with the secretary in order that proper representations may be made. From the last conference of the board with Mr. Lanigan many important changes in the freight arrangements of the C. P. R. resulted and it is expected that the forthcoming meeting will be fruitful of a number of improvements which will be of service to local merchants.

LEPER IS DEPORTED ON YOKOHAMA MARU

Nippon Yusen Kaisha Mail Liner Left Port Last Night on Outward Voyage to Orient

Completely isolated from the other passengers, confined in a special compartment built for the purpose on deck, which will be hoisted overboard upon the termination of the voyage and burned, a native of China afflicted with leprosy, who was shipped through in bond to Victoria from Winnipeg last week-end, was deported aboard the N. Y. K. liner Yokohama Maru, which sailed from the Outer Docks about 7 o'clock last night for Yokohama and Hong Kong.

The liner was laden with a capacity cargo loaded on Puget Sound for the Orient. Ten steerage passengers embarked at this port.

BOUND FOR CALIFORNIA

Elder President Sailed Last Night With Victorians on Way to Fair

Forty-five local passengers boarded the Pacific Coast Steamship Company's steamship President, Captain George Roh, which left port shortly before 9 o'clock last night on her southbound trip to San Francisco and Southern California ports. The outbound vessel carried a good list, some 200 embarking at Seattle. The Boer Governor, of the same fleet, is scheduled to sail from San Francisco at noon today for Victoria and will arrive Monday forenoon.

PTE. MINNIS SUSTAINS HIS SECOND WOUND

Young Victorian, Who Was Injured Short Time Ago, Is Again Incapacitated—Writes of Recent Fighting.

Pte. Gerald Minnis, of the 50th Highlanders, who is with the 16th Battalion, and who was wounded for the second time in the recent fighting, has written his mother from France under date of May 7, as follows:

France, May 7, 1915.

My Dear Mother—I received your letter of April 11 last evening, and was very pleased to get it. I was discharged from the hospital at Hazebrouck, on the 4th, having had ten days' rest. Floyd Ricketts and I

Pte. Gerald Minnis, Wounded.

were together in the charge; it was fierce, everyone seemed to fall all around us, and still we kept on, then just as we were almost up to the German trench and lying down getting our breath for the final, I was hit in the top of the left arm, just across. Nothing much, only it left it a little stiff. Floyd came out with me but had to go back. I spent that night in the dressing station at Ypres, which they were shelling something fierce. Neither the doctor nor any of us thought we would ever get out, but we did. If Floyd had been with me I should have gone to England, but I was by myself and wanted to get back as soon as possible. We are all out for a rest now, I don't know how long for, but things are pretty lively with the gas. We have all been reinforced, which we needed very badly, only four left out of the section I am in, out of fifteen, shells killing most of them. There are a great number missing, nobody knows what happened them. We lost all our kit in the charge. Lately the weather here has been very hot, a little too hot to be pleasant, but anything is better than cold. All the trees are out fine and Floyd Ricketts and I are sleeping out in a shelter made of waterproof sheets, it is much better than the barn, as everyone in France seems to keep pigs, and the smell is pretty rank. I am still getting The Colonist and enjoying it very much. Well, I will write you again as soon as I get your parcel.

Your loving son,
GERALD.

DECLARES CANADIANS DIED LIKE HEROES

Officer Writing to Friend in Victoria From the Front Gives Further Particulars of Ypres Battle.

Writing to a friend in Victoria under date of May 6, an officer now at the front, says: "We have just got back from northeast of Ypres, where the Canadians suffered so terribly. I need not tell you what you already know—that is, they died like heroes, every man of them. You may well be proud of them. It does not need my little effort to say how we admired them. What is so maddening is that the Germans gained ground by using that foul and poisonous gas.

"They tried the gas on us; and to be perfectly candid, I thought we were all in; but owing to the wind shifting a bit we were saved, and were able to give the blackguards a bit back.

"I was sent out on a reconnaissance (on foot) the other day, in front, and saw ever so many of the Canadians lying dead with all their kit on. Poor chaps, we could not bury them.

"Here is a true yarn: The Warwickshire Regiment was holding the first line trenches, and at night sent out small parties to fetch in and bury the dead Canadians. They, of course, were under fire, so could only work very slowly and carefully. They found one poor chap who was still alive, but seriously wounded. They looked after him and got him, still alive, to hospital. He had been wounded three days, and on the fourth night the Warwicks found him.

"I saw a farm full of wounded, which the Germans shelled and set on fire. They also were burned alive. I could go on like this for three pages, but won't.

"We had eighteen casualties, but how we didn't have more, I don't know. I have a fine souvenir—a piece of shell tore my mackintosh and cut my right cheek. It is extraordinary how callous you get to being shelled, and drop off to sleep in spite of an awful din going on around you. Well, we have got to beat them, if it takes four years; they are fiends. Several Canadians told me they saw Germans bayoneting wounded Canadians."

IS NOW ON BRIDGE OF LAKE MANITOBA

Captain A. Hailey, Former Commander of Empress of India, Transferred to Another C. P. R. Ship

Far removed from his former sphere of operations on this ocean, Capt. A. Hailey, R. N. R., who used to ply out of Victoria as commander of the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of India, is now acting as captain on the C. P. R. transatlantic liner Lake Manitoba.

Captain Hailey remained with the Empress of India up to the time she was purchased by an Indian prince for hospital purposes and renamed Loyalty. Following his return to England he was transferred to the Lake Manitoba.

Ship Mersey Renamed

The Telegraaf. The message describes The ship Mersey, until recently employed by the White Star Line as an ocean training ship, but now owned by the Transatlantic Motor Ship Co., of Norway, has been renamed Transatlantic.

WAR NEWS PUBLICATION

Further Restriction Decided Upon by British Government—Offenders to Be Prosecuted

LONDON, May 28.—The Government has decided to regulate more strictly the publication of war news. It was announced that in order to prevent disclosure of information or publication of statements in the press which might assist the enemy or interfere in successful prosecution of the war, the directors of public prosecution in England and Wales, the Lord Advocate in Scotland and the Attorney-General in Ireland will be charged with the duty of "instituting proceedings in the event of infraction of the Defence of the Realm regulations by publication of prohibited matter."

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CLUB PRESIDENT WINS GOLF MATCH

Mr. C. S. Battle, Practically a Newcomer to Game, Wins Allan Cup With Fine Score Against Bogey

VANCOUVER, May 28.—Turning in the best score for the day, Mr. C. S. Battle, president of the Vancouver Golf and Country Club, who engaged in his first game of the popular sport about eighteen months ago, won the Allan Cup offered for the 36-hole competition against bogey under handicap, at the Burquitlam links.

The competition was played over the course this week and a large field entered. At the end of eighteen holes MacLaren and Smith led the field with two up. There was some interesting play in the second round, and the first likely winner was Andrew Stewart with two down in thirty-six holes. Smith came in "all square," but was beaten by Milne, who returned a two up. This was again beaten by a three up, registered by C. S. Battle, the popular president of the club.

The winner played good steady golf throughout, and must be congratulated on his success in view of the fact that he is practically a newcomer to the game.

CANADIAN CHAMPION WILL OPEN COURTS

Bernie Schwengers Will Play Exhibition Game This Afternoon at Knox Church Tennis Ground.

The official opening takes place today of the splendid new board tennis courts of the Knox Church Amateur Athletic Association, at the corner of Stanley and Gladstone Avenues. The feature of the afternoon will be an exhibition game to be played by the champion of Canada, B. P. Schwengers, with his brother, C. Schwengers, which will start at 2:30.

The executive wish to announce that the club is open for membership to any person, and anyone wishing to join should communicate with the secretary-treasurer, Mr. R. W. Mackenzie, 1558 Gladstone Avenue. Phone 4673R.

VICTORIA WINS GREAT HITTING GAME

Al. Bonner Is Invincible in the Pinches — McGinnity, Tacoma Pitcher, Is Driven From Box.

Standing of the Clubs

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Spokane	20	15	.570
Victoria	19	15	.559
Vancouver	19	16	.543
Tacoma	19	17	.528
Aberdeen	16	21	.432
Seattle	13	23	.360

In the greatest hitting game of the year, Victoria climbed into second place yesterday afternoon, defeating Tacoma 15 to 3, while Aberdeen won from the Vancouver club. Spokane went on top by virtue of its win over Seattle, but the Leafs are right behind, with a fair chance to go into first place before the week is out. Al Bonner notched up his third win since joining the Victoria club, while the Leafs clout. "Iron Man" McGinnity from the box, no less than three home runs and four doubles being made off McGinnity and Frambach. Bonner was hit freely, but he was invincible in the pinches.

McGinnity could not stop the Leafs once they started, and while three errors contributed to the scoring, the Leafs were on a batting rampage. They hit 'em in all directions, and the punches came with runners on the sacks. Willie Butler led with four singles out of five trips to the plate, while the short fielder also scored four runs and stole a couple of bases. Butler handled eight chances perfectly. Tobin, Hoffman and Bonner chalked up home drives over the fence, all three being line drives that just topped the timber. Ed. Johnson, the Tacoma left fielder, also hit freely, getting four safe blows.

Billy Menges was to have started at third base, but in the fielding practice, the little third sacker again hurt his wrist. Hunky Shaw being shoved into the breach, while Homer Haworth went to centre field. The change did not affect the play of the Leafs, their hitting being enough to win any kind of a ball game. Mike Lynch, a former Victoria manager, made his appearance as an umpire, and was well received. Lynch worked well behind the bat, Pearl Casey officiating on the bases.

Victoria opened the scoring in the second, when Tobin singled and counted on Haworth's double to left. In the third, Kaylor and Butler singled, Shaw sacrificed, and Kelly counted the pair with a double to right. Nye singled, scoring Kelly. Hoffman's homer in the third scored another. Tobin's homer, with Butler and Shaw on the bags, scored three in the fifth, and drove McGinnity from the box. Frambach was hit hard in the seventh. Butler singled, and was shoved along by Shaw, Kelly singled, Butler being held at third. Tobin doubled, scoring two. Nye scored him with a clean single, and Haworth put the manager across with a hefty double. Bonner hit a home run to start the eighth, Kaylor grounded out, Butler singled, stole second. Shaw beat out a bunt. The pair worked a double steal, Butler scoring. Tobin walked, and Shaw scored on a squeeze play, Nye bunting on the hit and run signal. Tacoma got three in a row in the sixth on hits by Hogan, Stokke, Stevens and Grover. The official score:

Victoria—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Kaylor, rf	5	1	1	1	0	0
Butler, ss	5	4	4	4	4	0
Shaw, 3b	3	2	1	1	2	0
Kelly, 1b	5	2	2	7	1	0
Tobin, lf	4	3	3	4	0	0
Nye, 2b	4	1	2	3	2	0
Haworth, cf	5	0	1	2	0	0
Hoffman, c	4	1	2	2	1	0
Bonner, p	4	1	1	0	1	0
Totals	38	15	20	27	14	0

Tacoma—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Johnson, lf	5	0	4	1	0	0
Heister, 3b	5	0	2	0	4	2
Wilson, cf	5	0	0	1	0	0
Hogan, cf	5	1	2	2	1	0
Stokke, 1b	5	1	2	8	1	0
Stevens, c	2	1	1	3	1	0
Butler, ss	4	0	0	7	1	1
Grover, 2b	4	0	1	2	2	0
McGinnity, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
Frambach, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Peterson	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	3	14	24	13	3

Score by innings:

Victoria	0	1	3	1	3	0	4	3	x	—15
Tacoma	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	—	3

Summary—Two-base hits—Haworth, 2; Kelly, Tobin. Home runs—Tobin, Haworth, Bonner. Sacrifice hits—Shaw, 3; Nye. Stolen bases—W. Butler, 3; Kelly, Shaw. Double plays—W. Butler to Kelly; J. Butler to Stokke. Eight runs, 11 hits off McGinnity in 5 innings; 7 runs, 9 hits off Frambach, 4 innings. Struck out—By Bonner, 3; McGinnity, 1; Frambach, 1. Bases on balls—Bonner, 3; Frambach, 1. Time of game, 1:30. Umpires, Lynch and Casey.

SEATTLE, May 28.—A Spokane batting rally in the eighth inning broke a 2 to 2 tie today, Spokane winning the game 4 to 3.

Score—	R.	H.	E.
Seattle	3	7	2
Spokane	4	9	1

Batteries—Kelly and Cadman; Fisk and Brennegan.

ABERDEEN May 28.—Perfect pitching by Hughes won the game for the locals today from Vancouver by a score of 2 to 1.

B. P. SCHWENGERS

Canadian tennis champion, who is playing exhibition games this afternoon at the opening of new church club courts

Score—	R.	H.	E.
Aberdeen	2	7	3
Vancouver	1	6	3

Batteries—Hughes and Vance; Kramer and Brottem.

LEAGUE BASEBALL RESULTS

American

At Philadelphia—Boston, 8; Philadelphia, 5.

All other games postponed, rain.

Federal

At Pittsburg—Buffalo, 0; Pittsburg, 4.

All other games postponed, rain.

Coast

At San Francisco—Venice, 10, Oakland, 8.

At Los Angeles—Salt Lake, 13; Los Angeles, 4.

At Portland—San Francisco, 3; Portland, 12.

National

At Boston—(First game)—Philadelphia, 2; Boston, 5.

(Second game)—Philadelphia, 4; Boston, 5.

At New York—St. Louis, 4; New York, 11.

At Brooklyn—Pittsburg, 2; Brooklyn, 1.

NOTES OF THE GAME

Today's game starts at 2:45 o'clock.

McKenry and Peterson are the pitching selections.

Slim Smith will join the Victoria club in Tacoma tomorrow.

Butler banged out four singles in a row, also stealing two bases.

Hoffman and Haworth came through with some timely hits.

McGinnity did not find the weather hot enough to suit him.

Mike Lynch shapes up as a pretty fair umpire on balls and strikes.

Menges' injury will keep him out of the game for a few days.

Double headers will be played at Tacoma tomorrow and at Seattle on Monday.

A meeting of the Northwestern League directors will be held at Tacoma tomorrow night.

KEEN RIVALRY IN LEAGUE OF MIDGETS

Good Practice Games Played Last Night by Junior Teams —Next League Fixtures Set for Monday.

Rivalry in the Midget Baseball League is becoming very keen, and every club in the league was out last night for strenuous practice. The Y. M. C. A. team played the Incogs, a team managed by Frank Halford, and won easily. The Pirates and the White Elephants met for a friendly tryout at Beacon Hill. The game was a good one, won by the Pirates. Russ Pollock also had his Athletic team out against a scratch nine and got in some good practice on the Heywood diamond.

The next games in the Midget League, to be played on Monday night, are between the Y. M. C. A. and North Wards at Central Park and the Athletics and White Elephants at the old High School grounds. Both games will be called sharp at 6:30.

Midget League Jottings

Tom Taylor is trying for a place with the Athletics. He is a southpaw.

The "T" team have signed up Graham Hughes. He gave a good impression at last night's practice.

Jack Cooksey pitches well for the Pirates. He has speed and fair control.

Perhaps the best catcher of the league is Jim McFadyen of the Athletics.

The White Elephants have still to be heard from in a league game.

Barney Oldfield Out

INDIANAPOLIS, May 28.—Barney Oldfield, dean of American race drivers, will not drive in the 500-mile contest at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway Saturday. The car which Oldfield entered for the race was damaged beyond repair in practice.

CRICKET MATCHES ON TODAY'S CARD

Three Matches Scheduled in Virtue Cup League—5th Regiment Play Navy, C.M.R. Play University School.

Only three matches are on the card this week in the Virtue Cup cricket series. The league matches to be played are as follows: Albion vs. Congregationals, on the Albion Ground; Victoria A1 vs. Five C's, at Jubilee Hospital ground, and Civic Association vs. Garrison, at Work Point ground. The last named game was scheduled to take place on the Heywood Avenue ground, but on account of the heavy growth of grass on that ground the match has been transferred to the Garrison home ground at Work Point. All players and reserves of the Civic Service are therefore requested to meet at the corner of Government and Yates Streets not later than 1:30 p. m. The match commences at Work Point at 2 p. m. sharp, as the league's rules call for five hours cricket.

In addition to the league fixtures, there will be a match played between the 5th Regiment and the Navy on the Canteen ground, which is sure to be productive of some fine cricket.

The C. M. R. also have a fixture, a match having been arranged against the University School at Mt. Tolmie.

The following teams are announced by their respective clubs to represent them in today's matches:

Civic Service—F. Boscen, W. Shearman, W. A. Tucker, L. Hinder, E. Rodgers (capt.), H. Whiteoak, A. R. Haines, F. Rawnsley, E. Gaiger, H. Boscen and D. Swan. Reserves, S. James and J. G. Ward.

Albion—E. P. Ward (capt.), H. A. Ismay, F. A. Sparks, L. W. Stephenson, A. N. Gardner, H. S. Smith, W. Gregson, H. Hudson, C. Lifton, F. H. Jordan and A. Gard.

Victoria A1—L. S. V. York, T. H. Hayward, L. A. Guerney, F. Lewin, A. Booth, H. Coton, P. V. Goepel, H. Wyles, F. Smith, A. Lewis and H. A. Goward (capt.)

5th Regiment—Capt. Birch, Gnr. Westwood, Gnr. Atwell, Gnr. Green, Gnr. Tyldesley, Gnr. Wells, Gnr. Johnson, Cpl. Hewitt, Bdr. Bush, Gnr. Sumner and Sergt. Bell.

Congregationals—Team to be selected from the following: Erickson (capt.), Collett, E. R. Lock, H. P. Lock, J. W. Boys, A. Daniels, S. Hendra, P. Mearns, J. Davis, W. R. Pargiter, P. Mackereth, S. Ferris, J. Ferris and W. Neave.

HUGE LOSSES OF FOOTBALL CLUBS

Total Loss for Season of Seven Old Country League Clubs Is $100,000 —Aston Villa Hardest Hit

The hostile public who condemned the playing of football last season while the country was at war, declaring that soccer was played for the sake of money and profits, have received a rude shock to their ignorance by reading the balance sheets of soccer league clubs, who between them have lost just over $100,000 on the year's working. With the country drained day after day of men, of football supporters in hundreds of thousands, it was recognized that the game would decline, that profits would vanish, that losses would be entailed, and that the financial strain would be disastrous for all concerned—clubs and players alike. The idea of profit was never entertained. One or two clubs have exceeded their most sanguine expectations, but the majority have realized their worst fears.

Seven league clubs have made their statements, showing a total loss of just over $100,000 on the season's playing. Aston Villa, of the first division of the Association League, and Plymouth Argyle, of the Southern League, show the biggest loss of $20,000 each. The famous Blackburn Rovers Club, with one of the biggest drawing teams in the country, who made a profit of $11,545 the previous season, return a loss of $17,390 for the season just concluded. Norwich City and Crystal Palace, both Southern League clubs, lost $15,000 and $11,000 respectively. Derby County and Barnsley, of the second division of the league, both lost $10,000. So far none of the big London clubs have issued their balance sheets, but all have suffered by the big drop of 50 per cent in their gate receipts compared with the previous season.

NOTED SPORTSMAN SAFE

Late advices received in Vancouver bring the very welcome information that Lieutenant Colin J. Marshall survived all his early experiences on the battlefields of Europe, and was one of the very few brave Canadian officers who escaped unharmed the hell of Flanders when so many lost their lives in defence of King and country. Lieutenant Marshall fitted himself for the great work in life in which he is now engaged on the field of sport, and sixty-two medals and twenty cups attest his prowess on the greensward and cinder path. As chairman of the track and field committee of the Vancouver Athletic Club he established a record unparalleled in the history of Canadian sport, placing and keeping that organization on the very topmost round of the championship ladder.

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BODIES OF THREE STILL IN MINE

Searchers in Reserve Colliery at Nanaimo Find Nearly All of Dead—Others Are Covered by Debris.

NANAIMO, B. C., May 28.—All day today the work of cleaning up the levels of the Reserve mine and restoring ventilation was carried on by strong forces of men, and as was expected, rapid progress was made. By 4 o'clock, or twenty-four hours after the explosion occurred, all the bodies in the mine except three were recovered.

The three bodies still remaining in the mine are those of T. Rowlay, Paul Vitta and J. Sutter.

The bodies recovered so far and brought into town are those of Fred Crew, J. Leach, Wm. and James McEwan, T. Harker, F. Treschek, Nick Seick, W. Guffog, Alf. Williams, J. W. Davis, J. L. Mass, R. Kirkbride, R. Broom, R. Haddow, L. Shaw and Ed. Beck.

The bodies of the three men still in the mine are supposed to be buried under a pile of fallen debris. Work is now proceeding to get them out, and it is not expected that it will take very long. That such rapid progress should have been made indicates two facts. The first is that the mine workings were little damaged by the explosion. It was mainly the ventilating brattice that was blown down, and as this was replaced, carrying the ventilation forward, the various bodies were reached and taken care of. The cave-in were not very numerous, and none of them of any magnitude.

The second fact is the efficient organization of the recovery bands. No time was lost in getting to work, and all supplies and appliances needed were in readiness when called for.

Mine Examined

During the day a thorough examination of the mine was made with a view to determining the seat and cause of the explosion. Chief Inspector Graham arrived on the scene from Victoria late last night, and today, in company with J. G. S. Hudson, of the Mines Department, Ottawa, and Manager Stockett, made an exhaustive examination of the mine. The result of the investigation he is not at present in a position to divulge, and a further examination will be made. The information thus acquired will be given at the inquest, which will be held on Friday morning next at 10 o'clock.

There are none of the scenes around the pit mouth usually associated with mine explosions. On the day of the disaster there were never more than half a dozen women at the mine, and never at any time a large crowd of men. By the time the news of the accident reached town and people straggled out to the mine, which by the nearest road is five miles out of the city, it was known that there was no hope for any of the men left in the mine. The names of those who had escaped were soon known, and there were no scenes around the mine. Only one or two families lived any way near the mine. One of these was the Thompson family, the man who struggled so heroically to effect the rescue of four of his companions. Mrs. Thompson, as soon as she learned that there had been an explosion, rushed off to the mine full of fear and apprehension as to the fate of her husband. Almost the first man she saw was her husband, and black and muddy as he was she gathered him into her arms and an affecting scene took place.

William Thompson's Heroic Work

Following the explosion John Graham, chief inspector of mines; Fred Cook and his son, Arthur, Alfred Gould and William Thompson, were making their way out to No. 2 shaft. They were overcome by smoke, and fearing they could not reach the shaft bottom decided to take refuge in the rock tunnel. Their plan was to barricade themselves in this tunnel, and as the air was short-circuiting between the two shafts, they counted on being able to live in this refuge until succor arrived. Thompson, however, preferred to struggle out towards the shaft bottom, knowing that it was only about 150 yards to the shaft, and that a first explosion is so often followed by a second. He therefore went on while the other four men made for the rock tunnel. The tunnel had no exit, and gradually the smoke and poisoned air drove them back towards the blind end, preventing them from putting up any barricade.

Thompson, meanwhile, had reached the shaft and was hoisted to safety. He was aware of the plight of the four men he had left behind, and at once asked for a Draeger helmet. Unfortunately he had never been trained in its use, and just at the time there was no one there to explain it to him. Still he would not give up the plan of getting his four companions out, and he descended the mine again. From the shaft bottom he made three separate attempts to reach the rock tunnel where he was confident the men would have taken refuge. Each time he was driven back by the smoke and poisonous air.

Fourth Effort Successful

In the meantime the men, who had found a temporary refuge in the tunnel, fully realized the precariousness of their position. Their first idea of barring the tunnel against the invading smoke they had been forced to abandon because of the lack of material. Still they clung to the hope that if Thompson succeeded in getting out an attempt would speedily be made to reach them. An iron pipe led out of the tunnel, and on this pipe they began to hammer to signal their whereabouts. J. Graham, in the hope that the sound would carry to the shaft, beat the letters of their location on the pipe, four knocks for east and five for level. Curiously enough their signaling was heard by Thompson.

The intrepid fellow, beaten back three times, was not yet discouraged. For the fourth time he started out, and it was at this juncture that he heard the tapping of the trapped men in the tunnel.

Thompson this time reached the tunnel and the men in it. With him to lead them back they were willing to attempt the passage back to the shaft bottom and all were saved. Thompson display heroism of the noblest type, for in going back to his imprisoned companions he not only braved suffocation from the smoke and poisonous air filling the level, but risked the danger of a second explosion, the expectation of which in the first instance had determined him to try and reach the shaft.

Two other lucky men were H. Clark and his partner, Marns. They came out of the danger zone, and that they got out is nothing short of a miracle. And they not only made their escape, but they brought out their driver, Fiorotti, with them. He was seriously, probably fatally, injured, but they would not leave him, and when Clark and Marns were found by a rescue party, the two men were struggling to get their injured driver to safety with themselves.

Victims Well Known

Most of the victims of the mine disaster were well known here, some of them having lived at Nanaimo and district for many years. Kirkbride was a young man about thirty years of age, and had been married for only two years. He was a member of the local Rugby team.

A. Williams had resided in Nanaimo for several years. He was married and leaves a widow and four children from three to twelve years of age.

F. Crew was the son of H. Crew, the local florist. He was married and leaves three children.

J. Leach was an old Nanaimoite. He moved to Vancouver about ten years ago, but when times grew hard returned to Nanaimo and started work at the Reserve mine. He leaves two children, both grown up.

J. W. Davis, was a resident of Nanaimo for over twenty years. For several years he ran a grocery store and was also postmaster at South Wellington.

CANADIAN GUNS DO GRAND WORK

Major Morrison, of Ottawa, Writes Another Graphic Account of Their Experiences in Ypres District.

OTTAWA, May 28.—Another graphic account of the part which is being taken by the Canadian artillery in the fighting in Northern France is told in a letter received here from Major E. W. B. Morrison, commander of the 1st Artillery Division. Major Morrison tells of seventeen days of continuous fighting, during which the Canadians never had their clothes off. He says in part:

"We (my brigade) have not had our clothes off for seventeen days. We fired 16,000 shells, had six guns put out of action by 'Jack Johnsons' and lost five officers and seventy-five men killed and wounded. That's the sort of 'reserve' we were in.

"My remaining guns were nearly out of business when we were finally ordered out of the position night before last; the oil was boiling in the recoil buffers and the recoil springs tired, but I flatter myself there was only standing room in hell for Germans that night. We helped stop five German attacks on that day alone.

"But I'm getting all the fighting I want, and it is good. My brigade was the last to come out of the big fight that commenced on the afternoon of April 22, with the gassing of the French division on our left, and it is not over yet.

"You remember I always said that the Canadians would hand out a brand of fighting if they ever got into a place where they had to make them sit up and take notice. Well, they have. You remember I told you the Canadian artillery was as good as the best in any army, and then some? Well, they are. Major King's battery, of St. Catherines, stood right out on the left flank of the whole British army after the French division had run through his guns, and fired at the Prussian infantry when they were only 200 yards away. Our drivers galloped through the straggling enemy's infantry and ran the gauntlet of rifle fire at 300 yards to bring ammunition to the guns. It was a gorgeous pink-eyed afternoon and evening—that time we were 'in reserve,' and for seventeen subsequent days.

"Yours in the pink. (Signed) Morrison."

TALAAT BEY TALKS

Says Turkey Will Not Declare War on Italy—Feels Safe Regarding Roumanian Neutrality

BERLIN, May 28.—Talaat Bey, Turkish Minister of the Interior, in an interview with the Constantinople correspondent of The Berliner Tageblatt declared that Turkey would not declare war against Italy.

"We will not declare war on Italy," Talaat Bey said. "We can wait. What can Italy do to us?"

The Turkish Minister of War told the same correspondent that all preparations had been made long ago, and there would be no surprises. It is true, he said, that long before the declaration of war Italy had collected a strong force at Rhodes, but Turkey knew some days ago that transports had been going back to Italy.

In the course of the interview with the correspondent Talaat Bey said that the Roumanian King and Premier would hold secure the neutrality of that country, while Bulgaria could gain nothing by joining the Allies. The territory near Adrianople did not attract Bulgaria, Talaat Bey said, and as Bulgarians knew that they will never get Constantinople, they prefer to see the Turks hold that city rather than Russians or English.

NORTH CAROLINA AGROUND

United States Cruiser Fast in Mud in Outer Harbor of Alexandria—Dredging Necessary

WASHINGTON, May 28.—The United States cruiser North Carolina is aground within the outer harbor of Alexandria, Egypt, according to a report sent to the Navy Department today by her commander, Captain Joseph W. Oman, who says the ship is undamaged, and that dredging operations will be undertaken to release her.

Efforts made yesterday to release the cruiser, Captain Oman reports, failed. The cruiser Des Moines has arrived off Alexandria to relieve the North Carolina in Mediterranean waters. The latter, as soon as she is floated, will be ordered back to the United States to act as naval aviation ship off Pensacola, Florida.

Atlanta convicts are no longer required to wear striped clothing.

CARRIED BOMBS IN ATTACK ON GERMANS

Pte. Campbell, of This City, Gives Account of Canadians' Famous Struggle Near Ypres.

A vivid account of the Canadians' engagement with the Germans at Ypres is given by Pte. Thomas Campbell in a letter to his mother, Mrs. P. Campbell, of 1001 Richardson Street. It is dated May 8, and the pertinent part follows:

"The Germans certainly sprang a surprise on us, and I must say that the way the contingent went into the breach and held them up for a couple of days until reinforcements came up was nothing short of marvelous.

"When it started I happened to be on guard about a mile from our billets, which were very close to the firing line. There was a French billet in the next farm to us and the Germans must have seen them, as they started shelling the dickens out of the place. The Frenchies began to move our way, with the result that I was practically in a battle before we took the offensive that night. That was the only time during the whole thing that I was actually afraid, as the Germans followed the French up with shrapnel and, as we were standing on guard, they were rushing past my post and every second or third one would drop with a bullet or shrapnel, as by this time we could see the Germans advancing in the distance.

"However, after about twenty minutes of h—l we got the order to retire in case the magazine was struck with a shell, and in the 200 yards we went back we must have passed as many dead and wounded Frenchies, and, mind you, this was about a mile from the actual firing line. There were about eight in our party and we advanced and retired up and won that field six times all to no purpose that I could see, and all the time the Frenchmen were flying back and dropping all around that field until it was literally covered with dead and wounded.

"At last we retired back to the main road and were kept there until about 10 p. m., when we went to headquarters and fell in with the rest of the bomb-throwers. Thirty-eight of us were formed up at once and given bombs and marched down to join the 10th and 16th Battalions. I was put in the second line of attack with the 10th, and didn't like it very much, as I would much rather have been with our own fellows. However, we had just got there and I was just going to lie down when the order came to advance.

"At first it was just as if we were out on parade practicing skirmishing, only it was at night and the men, as far as I could see, kept a very straight line until we were blocked by a small lake or big pond, and by the time we had doubled around the ends, the first and second lines were mixed. We had just advanced a little farther when the Germans opened fire and the way I hit the ground wasn't slow. I noticed that there wasn't anybody any slower than I was. We lay there for about three minutes, and during the first minute I certainly was scared, but then I began to come to myself and from that on, with one exception, I never lost my head or got half crazy as I expected. Somebody away on the left shouted, 'come on boys, let's get at them,' and immediately a cheer went up and everybody, to a man, was on his feet and going like the dickens

Race for Woods

"In this race the 16th Battalion, which had been in the rear of the 10th, made up on them, and by the time we reached the enemy's trench in front of the wood we were all mixed. I can assure you it wasn't a long job clearing the trench and, as I was carrying bombs, I couldn't take a very active part with my rifle, but I had a great opportunity for observing quite a lot, which I may some day tell you about. My place was always to follow up the front line so that if we took trenches, I along with a couple other bomb-throwers, held the flanks while the trench was made secure. As it happened, where I was we didn't need to do that that night. When we chased the enemy out of the wood we thought we had them on the run, but we soon found out our mistake as they had all kinds of sandbag forts which we had to clear out. Then we found another line of trenches connecting the wood with a copse with a couple of small houses in it which we had to clear.

"After doing this we began to look around, and it didn't matter which side of the trench you were on men were getting hit, and it puzzled us for a time to find out where the shots were coming from until we found there were Germans entrenched along the front of the little copse, and we charged this. It was here that Lieut.-Col. Boyle was fatally wounded, and I was only about ten feet away from him at the time. However, we got the Germans on the run here, and from then on we were not bothered with them again that night.

"Of course, this is only one part of the battle I am describing, as all the time I had been with the 16th mainly, with a few of the 16th mixed up. What was happening on the left I don't know. We found out that there were 7,000 Germans around the wood we took, and I think that is pretty good doings for 2,000 men. Of course, we had no barbed wire to go through, but then we had no artillery to shell them before we started.

Some Casualties

"The next day they shelled the dickens out of our trenches and it was here, I am sorry to say, Davie Weir was killed, blown to pieces with a shell. We had other casualties, but Dave was the only one I knew well. During the day the Germans made two or three attacks on the left, but our boys certainly showed them that they could defend a place as well as take it. In the night, where I was, things were very quiet and remained so all that day and the next. Nothing of importance occurred after that until the morning we were relieved, when about an hour before leaving Captain Ross, who had been transferred to us from the Cameronns, was hit and Captain McGregor, hearing of it, came down to see him, and also was hit. From the beginning until ten minutes before we were relieved, I had never felt a bullet come near me, although fellows I had been speaking to, or, in one case, where he was helping me to dress a wounded man about thirty yards in front of the trenches, he was killed. There were all kinds of wounded around, but, as I was sitting in the trench speaking to Dave Dunn, a piece of a 'Jack Johnson' came right over the parapet and struck me on the joint of the elbow bone and for a minute I thought it had gone right through, but after taking a good look and feeling it tenderly, I knew it was still there, but wasn't it sore! However, ten minutes later word came for us to retire, as we were getting relieved. Between the trench we [illegible] in and the main trench, running parallel with the wood, was an open space of about fifty yards and we had to cross this. The first two men who tried it were killed and the next fatally wounded. That made the rest of us sit back and think, for you must remember it was 11 o'clock in the day and in full view of the German trenches. However, we couldn't stay there all day, so we started to crawl and, believe me, I never thought I would make it. My left arm was useless and you had to lay flat on your stomach and crawl along without raising yourself off the ground and drag a rifle, too. It doesn't sound very bad, but let anybody try it and put a pack on the back as some of the fellows had. Besides, everyone got a bullet or two through their packs, so that will give you some idea how high you could raise yourself off the ground. I had got about two-thirds of the way when the pain in my arm drove me half crazy, and I got up and made a run for it, and just got into the trench in time to escape a shower of bullets.

"We managed to get to the dressing station, about 400 yards from the trenches, with only the loss of four men, and then we were ordered to dig ourselves in, but, seeing I couldn't dig on account of my arm, I was told off to go with the doctor and read off the identification marks of the dead men lying around. Not having had anything to eat but one-half slice of bread from Saturday noon and only two hours' sleep, you will know how I felt touching dead men. I got back to headquarters and then had a good feed and we were put in trenches around there, and, as things were pretty bad, I went, too, although my arm was swollen up something awful. We had an easy time the rest of the day and up until about 2 o'clock on Sunday afternoon, when the enemy began to shell headquarters. As we were only about thirty yards away we were in a pretty bad fix. The enemy sent fifty-six shells altogether over and between our trench and the barn there were eighteen 'Jack Johnson' holes, everyone of which had half buried us with dirt when it burst. The buildings were all burned to the ground and the heat for a while was awful. After about an hour's shelling they stopped and nothing happened until about half an hour before we were relieved that night, when a 'J. J.' came right into our trench. It went right over the parapet I was leaning against in the next bay, wounded one and buried the other three. These we had to dig out. The man who was wounded was blown about thirty feet out of the trench.

"From that on until now nothing much happened, as we went into reserve trenches, but we were always pretty badly shelled and lost eight men, three of whom we never saw again.

"Taking it all through, it is awful, but there are times when you get a little rest and then the men sing and joke just as if nothing ever was going to happen out of the ordinary. There is only one time when the shells get your goat, and that is when you are in the reserve trenches or in billets and you get shelled. I know I feel so utterly helpless and impotent, as you can't see anything to fire back at, and you have just to sit still and wait until they are finished. You are always wondering if the next one is going to get you and I can assure you it gets on your nerves."

CHAMPAGNE AGROUND

French Steamer Strikes Shore Near St. Nazaire and Is Badly Damaged—Passengers Landed

NANTES, May 28.—The steamship Champagne, of the French transatlantic line, is ashore near St. Nazaire. She is damaged badly. The 900 persons aboard her have been taken off.

The Champagne was engaged in transatlantic trade between Central and South American ports and France. She was last reported as having sailed from Colon on May 7.

She was built at St. Nazaire in 1886. Her net tonnage is 3,048. She is 492 feet long and has a beam of 52 feet.

A plot to blow up the Champagne was reported last February in a dispatch from Madrid to a Paris newspaper. A man on board, who was believed to be a German, intended to destroy the vessel, according to the dispatch. The man was arrested and five dynamite bombs were found in his trunk.

PARIS, May 28.—Officials of the French line here say that all the passengers who were on the Champagne have been landed at St. Nazaire, and that there is no need of anxiety as to the safety of the vessel. They state that she was not torpedoed.

Fishing Boats Torpedoed

CROOKHAVEN, Ireland, May 28.—Captains of Crookhaven schooners and fishing boats in the vicinity of the American steamship Nebraskan when she was damaged by an explosion on Tuesday claim to have witnessed the torpedoing of three small fishing boats.

Adriatic Ports Darkened

ROME, May 28.—In compliance with orders issued by the authorities all the ports on the Adriatic are now in darkness at night. This regulation includes Venice, Ancona and Brindisi, and it is being made to apply also to certain inland cities, such as Milan and Verona.

Belgians Repulse Attack

HAVRE, May 29.—An official Belgian statement issued tonight, dated May 27, states that "an infantry attack made against a bridge head defended by one of our divisions was repulsed. During the night and today, the enemy's artillery bombarded the ground behind the Yser towards Caeskerke."

Steamer Mackinaw on Fire

SAN FRANCISCO, May 28.—No additional reports as to the condition of the steamer Mackinaw, reported to be on fire off Point Reyes, thirty-three miles north of here, had been received at a late hour tonight. S. O. S. calls flashed from the vessel were answered by the schooner Coronado, which immediately steamed at full speed for the distressed vessel. The United States coast guard steamer McCulloch and and a tug were dispatched from here to render assistance. On March 4, 1914 the steamer met her first accident, when she lost a rudder at Puget Sound and her deck load was washed away.

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Interviewed recently, she said: "Quite suddenly one day I became helpless. I was out shopping, and all at once my leg gave way under me, and I fell on the street. I was taken home, and to some extent recovered, but a few days later, as I was struggling upstairs, I fell again, right down the whole flight, and from that time I was paralyzed. I had to be lifted in and out of bed, and as I was placed so I lay. Medical treatment did no good, so I was taken to hospital, where for three months they tried everything possible to bring back sensation to my limb. Massage, electricity, and all that proved useless. Everybody thought the leg should be taken off, as the paralysis was creeping up to my body. To all appearances my leg was dead; there was no feeling in it; I would not have felt a needle pushed right in, and it was almost black up to the thigh. However, I would not have it off and my husband was of my mind. I was taken home again absolutely helpless.

Mrs. Hopkins, Hants.

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These are the actual facts of this remarkable case, which investigation will fully verify. As corroborative evidence we add

Testimony of the Neighbours

Mrs. A. E. Jackson, of 29 English Road, Southampton, Says: "I have known Mrs. Hopkins for a long time. I knew her all through her illness. She was absolutely paralysed, could not move at all, and hospital treatment did her no good. Then she began taking Dr. Cassell's Tablets, and soon she was getting about on crutches. The next thing was that she was walking about without crutches. When I went to my door I found several others out to see the wonder. Now she is in splendid health."

Mrs. A. A. Lever, English Road, Southampton, says: "I remember Mrs. Hopkins when she was quite paralysed. She was taken to hospital, and I certainly thought she would never come out alive. Now to see her so strong and healthy is quite astonishing. She is as active as ever.

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CANADIANS FOUGHT TILL THEY FELL ASLEEP

Sergt. J. R. McIlree Thinks That the Cowichan River Will Look Attractive to Him After the Fighting.

A very interesting description of the severe action in which the Canadians were engaged about the end of April is to be found in the following letter. It was written on April 29 by Sgt. J. R. McIlree, 7th Battalion, to his family:

"At last I have a chance to tell you all about it. We are now resting near —— and have only been bombarded twice yesterday, and, to far, not at all today. Well, to begin at the beginning. On the night of the 22nd, we were in billets, when about 5 p.m. huge clouds of greenish smoke were seen over our firing line on the left, and a tremendous bombardment commenced. All day the farms round us had been shot up by Jack Johnsons, so we thought something was coming off. Some time after, a wounded Zouave came limping through, and was followed by straggling Algerians. We adopted two of these sportsmen as souvenirs, and they stuck with us for some days. Then we marched out and started to dig ourselves in with entrenching tools, but were stopped, and moved towards the trenches to the east. By this time the air was full of some infernal stink, which made us weep copiously, and nobody knew what had happened. About an hour before dawn we went up (as we thought) to reinforce a part that was weakly held, and again dug ourselves individual holes. When morning broke we discovered, to our astonishment, that nobody was between us and the Germans, who held some houses about 300 yards in front. Then the shells came from behind, but luckily they went about 50 yards too far.

"A sniper got busy and winged the colonel and a couple of men. The wind was very cold, and as you cannot dig more than two feet without striking water, we could do nothing but shiver.

"That night we made a real trench and settled down for a while. Next morning the shells came again in bunches, getting a couple of us. Then more Germans appeared over the hill, and we had a little battle of our own, which was spoiled by our artillery, which shelled the stuffing out of us. We were prepared to hold on forever, when the order came to retire, as our flanks were turned.

"Then things started. I took half my platoon out along a hedge to cover the retreat of the company, so I never saw them again. The Germans were coming in thousands, so we worked our way down the trenches to the left. In this way we kept up a running fight all morning, leaving one trench and running across the open to another one in the rear. Our artillery was so chivied about that they gave us no help, while we were being mowed down by shrapnel, machine guns and rifles.

Reached Last Trench

"Nobody was the least bit frightened; in fact, we rather enjoyed it at first, but people kept getting killed in such messy ways that it became a nightmare. It is funny how calm you get. A man falls beside you and you just heave him out of the way like a sack of flour.

"Finally we reached the last trench, which was simply jammed with men from all our regiments.

"There we put up a scrap for some time, till the order came down from the major to cease fire (why I do not know). He must have been put out about that time, because we were never told to commence again, even though I passed up several messages asking if there were any officers. Meanwhile the country was swarming with Germans, and their shrapnel began to come in. Not caring to be made a prisoner, I decided to make a dash for it; two others came with me, and both were hit. After that a big bunch followed; none of us have any idea how we got out, as the enemy were on three sides of us, and, believe me, we survivors are an awe-struck bunch. Well, we were gathered together by the adjutant further back to make another stand, but luckily did not have to, as reinforcements were coming up. We sat round and watched the regiments come up in skirmishing order under most hellish fire, and helped the wounded in. Some of the fellows went along with them, but the rest of us were too all in, having been without sleep and food since the start. The enemy got within a few hundred yards, and the noise was awful; our batteries simply mowed them down.

"We then moved further back into a barn and went to sleep for an hour, when we were routed out and went into a trench, ankle deep in water, where the rest of the Canadians were; here we got some rations and rum. Soon after we moved off again and dug ourselves in right in the front, with some regulars on our right. Next morning two men appeared over the hill, a hundred yards in front, and seemed very much surprised to see us. It was too dark to see what they were, but we yelled to them to come in, but they started to edge away, so we plugged them. Soon a bunch in Algerian uniforms came up on our right and we did not fire. Some even wore British uniforms, and we did not even know if we were in the front line or not. Then, of course, the shells, machine guns and rifles started again, and we coddled up in our puddles. Our artillery put a few into us, just to add to the festivities, and got three or four. That night was the limit; you would see a sentry suddenly fall forward sound asleep. I simply could not keep awake. About dawn we were told to go back, and, lucky for us, it was misty. I will never forget that march—mangled men, horses and wagons all along. We saw a bunch of cigarettes and tobacco by the road and nearly had a riot over them. The remnants were assembled quite a way back, and someone found a restaurant partly looted and we finished it. Soon we moved forward again and dug ourselves in as usual. Lord, they did shoot us up that day—over 300 shells in about 200 yards, and not a stretcher-bearer left.

"The next day was a repetition, with less shells, and that night we moved back, through the outskirts of Ypres, which is a horrible sight, and came here. This is supposed to be a rest camp, and has huts. But along came the shells, and we moved out and dug ourselves in. Soon afterwards two of the huts were smashed in, along with some Territorials. Today has been quiet, but the country near us is full of French artillery, and when they start, the Germans reply, including us in the proceedings, which is rude, for all we ask is to be left alone for a while. My platoon went in fifty strong and we now muster (censored), and everyone else is the same. Nobody knows what happened to Major Byng-Hall and Mr. Macdowall, who were very popular and efficient officers. Only one officer of the old 88th is unwounded. The worst part of it is that I do not know what happened to anybody. I just put them as missing. Reinforcements have come out from the 2nd contingent, and three of them were killed here yesterday. The beauty of the whole thing was that at no time did we know what was happening elsewhere, and even now we have no idea how things are progressing. We hear lots of rumors, such as 'Lille captured,' 'Constantinople fallen,' but believe none of it. Well, out of pity for the poor censor I must close. My idea of heaven now is the little old Cowichan River, whether the fish are biting or not, or my own particular armchair and a magazine. Love to all, and do not get downhearted."

AT THE FRONT WITH VICTORIA SOLDIERS

Pte. W. Cole, Who Left With 30th Battalion, Describes Conditions in Belgium—Over Battle Ground.

Private E. Cole, who left Victoria with the 30th Battalion, the last overseas forces to sail from this point, and who was drafted into the 16th Battalion on reaching France from Shorncliffe, has written home, under date of May 3, giving some idea of how the last local men to depart found conditions on arriving on the firing line.

He says:

"We left camp on the 26th April. We had very little time for preparations, as the call came very unexpectedly. Of course I cannot tell you just where we are, but it is somewhere in Belgium. As soon as we got here we were put in the trenches. There was only one company (No. 2) came out of the 30th, but the others will come later.

"I expected things to be pretty fierce out here, but it was far beyond even my expectations. The shell fire is something awful, but a person must be out here to realize what it is like. It is beyond description.

"I am very glad to say that things here seem to be very much in favor of the Allies. This is a beautiful country, and it seems an awful pity to see what the Germans have made of it.

"We get plenty of good food when possible. Of course there are times when it is impossible owing to the artillery fire. You will be surprised to hear that we have got to wear the kilts shortly, the 16th being the Scottish Regiment, and as they wore the kilts we, as reinforcements, will have to.

"They certainly made a splendid charge, but got out up awfully bad. I went over the ground where the battle was fought, and the mind could picture their magnificent stand. The odds were very great. Their equipment and rifles lay all over the field, where they had fallen, and it is up to us fellows to do our very best to keep up their splendid reputation. When one thinks over all the terribly mean things the Germans have done and are doing, it seems to me that it is the duty of every man to enlist and try and get even with them."

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"The shock at beholding myself in the glass after nine long weeks abed, nearly caused a relapse," writes Emily Coleen in Home Queen. "The faded face, with its lines of illness and worry, seemed twenty years older. Now, I thought, I could not attend my chum's wedding, eleven days off, to which I had looked hopefully forward.

"She herself came to my rescue. She procured an ounce of ordinary mercollized wax at the drugstore, which she bade me spread on like cold cream, washing it off next morning. Applied nightly, this apparently absorbed the withered skin, so gently I experienced no discomfort. Upon the wedding morn the pallid complexion had entirely given way to one of youthful color and loveliness.

"And there wasn't a wrinkle. This due to a wash lotion made by dissolving an ounce of powdered saxolite in a half pint witch hazel. The daily face bath had dispersed every line."

MEDICAL SCIENCE IN THE BRITISH ARMY

Less Typhoid in Present Expeditionary Force Than in Two Brigades in the Nile Campaign.

The wonderful efficiency of the British Army Medical Corps is described in the following article from The London Daily Telegraph:

The progress made during recent years in the application of medical science to the prevention of disease in armies has had far-reaching effects. Indeed, it is safe to say that had a war of the magnitude of the present struggle, and conducted like it under siege conditions entailing great hardships, prolonged exposure to the most inclement weather, and the billeting of large numbers of men in insanitary quarters for many months together, been undertaken by the British nation a few years ago, it would have been accompanied by an outbreak of disease which would have decimated our forces.

To some extent the very low sick rate which has up to the present obtained in the British army is due to the fact that during recent years both the staff and the regimental officers and men have been instructed in the elementary principles of sanitation and practised in the exercise of ordinary precautions against disease. In the main, however, it is due to the preventive measures adopted by the medical service.

These measures are of two kinds—first, those taken in order to prevent the outbreak of sickness, which consist of the paying of careful attention to water and food supplies, drainage, sanitation, and to the early diagnosis of suspicious cases. Secondly, those taken in order to maintain the health of the men, which consist in the enforcement of a high standard of personal cleanliness and the early treatment of minor ailments due to exhaustion, exposure, or temporary breakdown.

In order to show to what extent modern medical science has been able to mitigate disease in warfare it is only necessary to compare the ravages of typhoid fever—the most deadly scourge to which troops are subject—during British campaigns of the past with those suffered in the present war.

Germ Carriers

In the Nile campaign of 1898, for instance, there were in eight months more cases of typhoid in two brigades than there have been up till now amongst the whole British Army engaged in the present war. And yet in the Soudan we were operating with a small, carefully-selected army, in a country were the inhabitants were not infected with the disease, whereas in Flanders it is endemic amongst the civil population. In the South African War, too, 76 per cent of the sickness was due to typhoid, which, in fact, killed a far greater number of our men than did the enemy.

The experience of the Spanish-American and South African wars showed that the sole risk of infection does not lie in polluted water, although that is naturally a grave source of danger, but proceeds very largely from the early undiagnosed case, and especially from persons who are now known as "germ carriers," that is, individuals who have had typhoid, and have apparently completely recovered, but who may continue for years to carry and disseminate germs and to infect others.

It is, therefore, of supreme importance to detect cases of typhoid at an early stage, before the infection has time to spread; and in this campaign mobile bacteriological laboratories have been installed expressly for this purpose. Each laboratory consists of a motor lorry fitted with a complete bacteriological equipment, and is in charge of a specially trained officer, and an attendant of the Royal Army Medical Corps.

So soon as the medical authorities of a division become aware of a case of typhoid among the men for whose health they are responsible, they call in the services of the bacteriologist, who then carries out an exhaustive examination with a view to ascertaining the source of the infection. This is frequently found to be a "carrier." As an example of this may be quoted the following instance:

A few cases of typhoid fever occurred in one of the supply parks, and men continued to fall sick in spite of every precaution taken, including the removal of the units to fresh billets. Upon report being made of this, all the men engaged in the preparation of the soldiers' food and all those who had previously suffered from typhoid were paraded and examined by the bacteriologist, with the result that one man was discovered to be a "carrier." So soon as he was removed the unit remained free of the disease

In addition to the bacteriological installations a mobile hygiene laboratory has been instituted, and others are in course of formation. They are equipped for pathological work, and also the chemical and bacteriological examination of water and food.

Work of the Specialists

After bacteriological proof of the occurrence of a case of the disease is obtained, the point of origin is "spotted" on a diagram, which thus shows at a glance the unit affected and the relative incidence and grouping of cases.

But, apart from the performance of their direct functions of testing and analysis, the bacteriological and hygiene laboratories placed at the disposal of the medical authorities and army commanders the services of trained specialists who have studied at first-hand the problems of anti-typhoid and other inoculations, who can, when necessary, prepare vaccine both for the prevention and the treatment of disease, and who are in a position to undertake the investigation of problems beyond the scope of clinical medicine or surgery.

It would be difficult to exaggerate the importance of the work that has been done and is being carried on by these specialists. For instance, one result of their researches into the treatment of epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis has been to justify the hope that by the employment of meningococcus vaccine the mortality from this disease may in the future be greatly lowered.

Great, however, as have been the services rendered by these specialists in the field, and valuable as the mobile laboratories have proved themselves, it must not be forgotten that by far the most potent weapon in our armory against typhoid fever has been forged by pathologists before the war. Inoculation is the surest defence, and to its extensive use must chiefly be attributed the low incidence of this terrible disease in the British Army.

ENEMY'S PRAISE OF BRITISH TROOPS

One Regiment Accomplished Most Wonderful Deed Ever Seen—Bravery of Officers

The opinion of a German officer, who took part in the recent battle near Neuve Chapelle, on the new British army in France, is quoted at length by Mr. Herbert Corey, who is with the German army in France

The officer in question declared:

"There were two lessons to be learned from that engagement. The first is that an entrenched position can be taken if the price is paid. The second was a bit of a surprise for us. It is that the new English troops are better than the old. We hadn't expected that."

The Germans believed, incredible as it may seem, that the "new English" troops consisted of raw, undisciplined gutter snipes. After explaining this, M. Corey proceeds to quote the German officer as saying: "These men who charged us at Neuve Chapelle were not gutter snipes. They were not slum sweepings. They were the best blood in England."

He said he saw their faces both in fight, as prisoners, and as they lay dead in the field. They were lean, full-templed, long-jawed men. Those who went first under that hellish fire were youngsters for the most part, men who looked as though they were sons of good fathers, or city clerks, or boys who had played in the open air. He was enthusiastic about them.

Let me tell you of one thing I saw. It was the most wonderful thing I have ever heard of on any field. I think it was the West Kent Regiment. They charged across the open field at us. Our fire was as though we had played a stream of bullets upon them. As they came across that open space, cheering and waving their rifles, I could see the men stumbling and falling forward on their faces and dropping sidewise. Gaps opened in the line, so that I can remember seeing the landscape behind them. But they always closed.

The Englishmen took cover at last, having gained the last possible inch, but they were hopelessly exposed; they could not get forward, and could not stay. Finally the order came to fall back. They had 100 yards to go. What do you think those brave god-like fools did? Instead of crawling back as the men of any other nation would have done—as trained soldiers are told to do—they rose to their feet, they walked back. No, by Heaven, they strolled back. They stopped to light cigarettes, they picked up their wounded and carried them home. They were cut down by the score, but they did not hurry their pace.

The officer continued: You cannot imagine what that first English fire was at Neuve Chapelle. It burst upon us like a sudden storm in the early morning. We had not known that they had concentrated their artillery on our front. Now we find from their own papers that they had more than 350 guns upon a front of perhaps 2,000 yards—that is, at the rate of one gun for every six yards. It is not possible to jam them any closer because the servers need elbow room.

The clamor was maddening. It beat upon my temples as though with a hammer. I did not think at all of the danger I was in. I prayed for this hellish noise to cease.

There was one masked German battery almost in the centre of the arc of British fire. It replied, of course. We always reply. Under the swift flow of that cannonading, concealment was simply washed away. The men at the battery were killed. On gun was struck fair on the side by a heavy shell and thrown high in the air. The captain of the battery and one officer alone lived. They continued to serve the single gun that was left, but they did not work any more rapidly than if they were on the Tempelhoferfeld. Their movements were precise and mechanical.

The most accurate torrent of English fire was turned against them. The earth spurted into the air on all sides, but by one of those miracles that occur in war, they were not touched. It seemed to me that the English guns must be white hot. There were no longer breaks in that awful chorus. The roar rose higher and higher like a pursuing flood. The two officers looked at each other and smiled. I saw this through my glasses.

The next moment even as I watched, there was only one man at the gun. He worked on, but slowly. There was a black patch on his blouse. Then he suddenly sat down upon the ground, coughed, and turned over.

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GERMANY EXACTS VENGEANCE ON DINANT

Citizens Driven From Homes by Brutal Soldiers—Refugees Sought Safety in Grottoes—Pitiful Sight.

The following excerpt is taken from the diary of a Belgian lady who was residing at Dinant at the time of its occupation by the German forces. She was one of the many refugees and as one she met death with many others. She writes:

"For the past five days things have been pretty quiet, but at night a terrible cannonade began and we dared not go out. There was a fierce fight until 12:30 a. m., then it stopped. We went to bed without undressing, and about 5 in the morning we heard unusual sounds in the street and hurried out to hear that the German soldiers had assaulted the Rue St. Jacques; most of them were drunk, and they had shot the peaceable inhabitants, set about pillaging shamefully, then set fire to the houses with bombs, and destroyed everything.

"That night the bombardment began again. We made up our minds to take refuge in the cellar. The bombardment went on at intervals all night, and about 4 in the morning it became more dreadful than can be imagined. We prayed and commended our souls to God. We heard explosions all round us, they were bombs, and looking out we saw the whole street on fire. We came upstairs as we saw we must try to escape while there was still a chance.

"When we got into the street we hardly knew what to do. We reached the end of the street leading to the quay and there we stopped, terrified. The sight was a moving one—women, children, wretchedly clothed, nuns holding up their hands to heaven, were standing all along the river side watching the town blazing—hundreds of people worn out with terror and fatigue, old men lying on mattresses, babies in cradles, whose parents had gone—none knew where. Every one was crying and sobbing — men, women, and children. They had all been driven out of their homes by the brutal soldiers, who smashed the doors and windows with the butts of their rifles, seized the unarmed men, and ill-treated the women and children, then ranged them in two rows and shot the men before the eyes of their wives and children. We saw among these unfortunates, a woman who was soon to have a baby, with bare feet and clad only in her chemise and petticoat.

A Living Tomb

"One idea possessed us—to escape from the town we loved so much. What could we do? There was no means of crossing the river. Suddenly, someone remembered the grottoes on the hill. No more hesitation—we started on our way back through the burning streets. At last we got through—about fifteen or sixteen of us altogether—through the wood lighted up by the burning town—and arrived at the grotto of Montfat. The door was shut, but an energetic blow opened it and we entered this living tomb. We went through I don't know how many dark passages. After wandering about in this way for a quarter of an hour, we reached a hall where we found between 70 and 80 persons all in tears. We were dying with fatigue; our limbs were benumbed, bruised; but we had to make up our minds to lie down on the damp earth, and so the night passed.

"With the day, all our terrors returned. Shouts rose from the town below; cannon thundered above us. In the afternoon I made a little reconnaissance at the entrance to the grotto, and looked down on the smoking ruins of what had been Dinant. An intense heat rose up from it. At last we prepared again for the night—but what a night! Mon Dieu! Ten times I was on the point of leaving the grotto imagining I heard noises, but they were hallucinations produced by hunger and thirst. I thought day would never come; at last about 6 o'clock I risked going out. As I returned into the grotto a lady came up to me and begged me to bring a light, for she thought everyone had lost their wits. I found to my horror that many of them really had lost their reason. It is hard to stand such mental suffering. I went up to Mons. P. and asked him to reconnoitre outside, and see if the army was away. He soon returned and said it would be more prudent to stay another night there, and try to escape in the morning. It is impossible to conceive how terrible this third night was, and how we suffered. I thought it would never end. About 5 o'clock I looked out, and heard the sound of cannonading, the shouts of these brutes and miserable cries and wails of distress, mingled with crashes as half-destroyed buildings fell in ruins. It was a pitiful sight."

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AN urgent appeal from the Devereux Agency solicits the benevolent support of employers of educational and domestic service to help the numerous applicants earn some means of a livelihood. The list comprises all classes: Governesses, nurses, housekeeper, cook-general, mother's help, and girls from 17 years up. Office, 647 Fort St., phone 447. Hours 10 to 12:30.

AS useful help by capable young person, experienced with children; can do plain cooking. Country preferred. Box 3171, Colonist.

DRESSMAKING — Eight years' experience. Miss Bulley; phone 3302R.

DRESSMAKING daily. Phone 4816L. 2605 Cook.

DRESSMAKING daily. Miss Wilkinson. Phone 4807R2.

DAY workers, male and female, can be supplied at a moment's notice, by telephoning 1637, Central Employment and Relief Bureau.

EXPERIENCED trained maternity nurse, open to engagement; terms moderate. Phone 942X1.

LADY desires post as housekeeper or companion help, domesticated, small salary in return for comfortable home. Box 3122, Colonist.

MATERNITY nurse, years of experience. Reference and terms phone 3688L.

MRS. Betteridge, practical French dressmaker; very moderate charges. Phone 3657R1.

MEN and women out of employment are registered at the Central Employment and Relief Bureau free of charge. Send in your requisitions at once for the service of experts in any line.

MATERNITY visiting nurse, 621 Hillside. Phone 3641R.

NURSE—Summerfield, maternity. Phone 432R.

PATIENTS received for maternity cases in quiet, private home. Phone 391.

TELEPHONE 1637, Central Employment and Relief Bureau, when in need of help in your home, store or elsewhere.

PROPERTY FOR SALE

FOR Sale—Good level lot, $750, Willows, three minutes from car. Box 3015, Colonist.

FOR Sale—Small chicken ranch, one acre, good house, barn, chicken yards fenced chicken tight; good well; near interurban. Small cash payment. By owner, 3092 Chaucer.

ACREAGE FOR SALE

AN exceptional bargain in Saanich acreage, price to suit the times. Stewart Land Co., Ltd., 101-102 Pemberton Block.

COWICHAN District, 5½ acres, good soil, well situated. Price and description, apply owner, Box 115, Somenos, B.C.

SALE, exchange or lease, 3 or 5 years, at $50 a month, clear titled country home, beautifully situated, near sea, golf links, etc.; modern house, furnished, splendid outbuildings. Please write Box 3921, Colonist, Victoria, B. C.

HOUSES FOR SALE

AN ideal country home within 4-mile circle, overlooking the upper Gorge waters, with Olympic Mountains beyond. Fully modern house of 11 rooms, baths, toilets, sleeping porch, full size cement basement, furnace, city water, telephone, lights throughout by own gas plant, garage, tennis court, flower, vegetable and small fruit gardens well planted; house stands in centre of gentle elevation in centre of nearly 20 acres, about 8 under crop. Will be pleased to show any persons interested over the place; reasonable price and terms. S. Johns, Helmcken Road, Strawberry Vale P. O.

A SNAP—I will sell my house, containing 8 rooms, pantry, etc., with all modern conveniences, together with two large-sized lots on Quadra St. Fifteen minutes walk from City Hall; worth $8,000; must sell; what offers? No agents need apply. Phone Owner, 4846L.

BARGAIN in Saanich farm, 5-room plastered bungalow, with full basement, veranda, electric light, good well, barn, chicken house and runs, and ten acres of good land plowed and ready for crop. Price for quick sale, only $3,750, with only $1,500 cash. Dunford's, 212 Union Bank.

EIGHT-ROOMED new house, James Bay; park and sea views. Phone 4646R.

FOR Sale—Fine city residence of seven rooms, on very large lot, close in; owner will sacrifice for $4,000, terms, or less for all cash. Apply owner, Box 3222, Colonist.

FOR Sale—Modern bungalow, 1161 Woodlands Road, Fairfield, cost $2,500; cheap, $2,350. Make your own terms. T. P. McConnell, 222A Pemberton Bldg.

FOR Sale—Three-room cottage on Meadow Place, price $1,000; sewer, water and light laid on; garden fenced. Apply 2952 Meadow Place, Oak Bay.

FOR Sale—[illegible]-room house, 5 bedrooms, modern in every particular. [illegible] Richardson Street, or [illegible], 1209 Government Street.

FURNISHED houseboat for sale, practically new, three large rooms, large veranda all around; row boat, private dip, etc., best location on Gorge, foot of Arcadia Street; three blocks from car. Box A B C, Colonist.

HOUSES for Sale, Cheap—Six rooms, 2-story house, St. Lawrence Street, $2,250. Any terms. Green & Burdick Bros., Ltd., Broughton and Langley Sts., phones 4169 and 4170.

OAK Bay—Modern 5-room bungalow, every convenience, [illegible] boulevarded street, close to [illegible] $3,000. Box 3070, Colonist.

HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

THIS is a genuine snap. A house containing nine rooms, modern, with a beautiful vegetable garden, close to sea, car and city. I am going back to the land again. Box 60, Colonist.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

ALL black soil and manure delivered. Phone 1864.

AMATEUR photographers' perfect time table for exposures; easily understood by boys and girls; 25c each. P. O. Box 519, or 24 Winch Building, City.

A 30-FOOT cabin cruiser for sale or hire, at reasonable rates, hour, day or month; thoroughly seaworthy and reliable. Full particulars. Phone Hemour, 2092.

ASK to see Mrs. Keiling's Heintzman & Co. piano, left with us for sale, $100. Victoria Piano Co., Yates and Government.

ASK to see Gerhard Heintzman at $180. This is a snap; guaranteed. Victoria Piano Co., Yates and Government.

A REDUCTION in prices. Low rates on circular letters or post cards that cannot be detected from typewriting. Our prices include postage, printed letterheads or post cards and envelopes, typing letter, folding and enclosing, stamping, addressing and supplying names. We can reach every home worth reaching. Note—We refund postage on all returns through parties having moved. Newton Advertising Agency, Winch Bldg., Victoria, B. C. Phone 1915.

AGREEMENT of sale, value $1,200 (guaranteed) for trade on a good automobile or cabin cruiser. Phone 4395R.

BELGIUM piano for $300; good order; also drop-head sewing machine, good order, $35. A. Fieldhouse, Roderick St., off Douglas.

BEACH Wood—Half cords, $2.25; outside city limits 25c extra. Phone 2917R.

BARGAIN—Second-hand furniture, baby buggies. Opposite Hudson Bay Block.

CAULIFLOWER plants for sale, to cut next Spring, 35c hundred, $3 thousand. Deveson, 116 Cloverdale, Maywood P. O.

CAMP stoves and ranges, largest stock, lowest prices. Eastern Stove Co., 848 Fort St.

CORDWOOD—Best quality dry fir cordwood, 12-in. blocks, $5.25; 12-in. split, $5.70; carrying in 35c extra; outside city limits 25c extra. Lloyd-Young & Russell, 1012 Broad Street, Pemberton Building, phone 4632.

FOR Sale—Furniture for six-room house, good condition. Can see, 1021 Sutlej Street.

FOR Sale—Player piano, cheap, with bench and 71 music rolls. Box 3206, Colonist.

FOR Sale—Equity and new furniture of 4-room house, $300 cash. Box 3205, Colonist.

FURNITURE, carpets, stoves, excellent, reliable second-hand, equal to new, selling daily, one-third the cost. Magnet Auction Rooms, 844 Fort, between Quadra and Vancouver.

FOR Sale—Gas range, $12, cost $35; perfect condition. Phone 5019R.

FOR Sale—Two flat bottom boats on Saanich Arm. Apply Barnett & Cooper, or 710 Rupert St.

FOR Sale—Cigar stand. Apply 1338 Government St.

FOR Sale—Cedar posts in quantity, 6c each, Elk Lake Station. V. & S. Railway. H. C. Oldfield, Elk Lake, P.O. Drawer 678, Victoria.

FOR Sale—A 26-foot cabin cruiser with 3 h.p. Buffalo engine, in good order, $175. Box 3153, Colonist.

FOR Sale—Cannery tender, 48 x 10 feet beam, 40 horse power heavy duty engine. Apply 47 Ontario Street.

GOOD millwood, $3.00 cord. Phone 4139R.

HELP the unemployed by buying wood from the Salvation Army Industrial, back of the City Hall; cordwood, $4.00, delivered; 12 and 16-inch blocks delivered, $5.50; split, $6 delivered; packing in extra, 40c per cord; half cords sold. Phone 5040.

IF you have a little cash buy a used piano now. Cannot be told from new, $100 to $300. Every dollar has buying power of five. Victoria Piano Co., corner Yates and Government.

IF you have a piano to sell our expert will call to examine it. If it is good and a snap we can sell it in 24 hours. We charge only 5 per cent commission. Buyers prefer buying them of us as we hold ourselves responsible and guarantee every piano we accept for sale. If strings are rusted don't ask us to sell it. Victoria Piano Co., Yates and Government.

LAWN mowers and garden tools, slightly used. Eastern Stove Co., 848 Fort St.

LAUNCH, 25 feet, 5 h.p. engine, cheap for quick sale. Hatch, 310 Belleville St., phone 5420.

MOTOR cycle, 7 h.p., twin, just overhauled; perfect condition, $100; terms. Phone 4487R.

MALLEABLE steel ranges, $1 down and $1 per week. 3001 Government St.

REFLEX camera, half-plate, anastigmal lens. Apply 447 Monterey Ave.

REDUCTION in prices. Low rates on circular letters or post cards that cannot be detected from typewriting. No war tax. Our prices include postage, printed letterheads or post cards and envelopes, typing letter, folding and enclosing, stamping, addressing and supplying names. We can reach every home worth reaching. Note—We refund postage on all returns through parties having moved. Newton Advertising Agency, Winch Bldg., Victoria, B. C. Phone 1915.

SPLENDID pianos from $100 to $200. Have you seen them? We refer you to Dun's, Bradstreets or Bank of Toronto, for reference. Five years in B. C. Victoria Piano Co., Yates and Government.

THE New York Tailors guarantee workmanship and style. All the newest materials supplied at moderate prices. White labor only. 220 Sayward Building.

TENT, 8y, ship, for sale, cheap. Apply 2002 Oak Bay Ave.

TWENTY-inch lawn mower, nearly new. Eastern Stove Co., 848 Fort.

THE "Crisis in B. C.," price 5c., mailed 6c. An appeal for investigation by the Ministerial Union of the Lower Mainland. Depot for distribution, the Victoria Printing and Publishing Co., 521 Yates Street, Victoria, B. C.

WOOD—Dry fir, $4 cord; No. 1 seasoned fir cordwood, $5.50 cord; Chemainus millwood, $3.50 cord; cut any desired length. Prices include delivery in city. Phone 3987; yard, Government St., foot of Queens Avenue.

MISCELLANEOUS

FOR hire, 5-passenger Ford, with driver, by the hour, day or week, rates reasonable. Phone 3921Y.

GORDON Head stage, twice daily. Chas. Saunders, phone 2537.

HOUSEHOLD League — The annual meeting of this society will be held in the Y. W. C. A. rooms, Douglas Street, on Monday, May 31, at 3:30. All interested are cordially invited.

SHOW Cards, Window Trimming—Cloth signs, background designing and decorating; up-to-date displays of all kinds of merchandise; free estimates given on background settings, show cards, etc., also on out-of-town work; special terms given to manufacturers or retailers who wish a number of windows trimmed or show cards made. Windows trimmed day or night by experts. Apply Ray Bray, 721 Yates St. Phone 2970, or residence, 1992L.

TO Doctors—Practice in growing dry belt town, for immediate disposal; established four years; cash receipts last year nearly $3,000. Nominal premium. Apply Box 3233, Colonist.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

ATTENTION—Sell your discarded clothes direct to dealer. Phone 6192, 1236 Government St.

AMERICAN and English bicycles (old) bought. M. Stern, 609 Yates Street; branch 1409 Store St. Phone 4810.

ANTIQUE jewelry, old gold and silver, or damaged jewelry; 572 Johnson. Phone 1767. Will call to any address.

CONSULT us whether you are selling or buying good furniture. It will pay you. Magnet Auction Rooms, 844 Fort.

CASH paid for ladies' and gent's cast-off clothing and shoes. M. Stern, 609 Yates Street, branch 1409 Store St. Phone 4810.

LAUNCH—Spot cash for bargain. Jones, 402 Central Bldg.

MAGNETO for four-cycle marine engine; must be in first-class condition. P. A. B., Union Club.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS (Continued)

SMALL range with double coil. Phone 4006L.

SHOTGUNS, rifles, revolvers. Also kodaks, bought. M. Stern, 609 Yates Street; branch 1409 Store St. Phone 4810.

WANTED—Will pay cash for contents of 5 or 7-room house. Box 3012, Colonist.

WANTED—Second-hand rowboat, about 12 feet, good condition; state price. Box 3064, Colonist.

WE pay highest prices for discarded clothing, shoes, etc. 541 Johnson St., phone 4423L. Will call at any address.

WANTED—Large English baby buggy, second-hand. Apply G. W. Potts, Mt. Tolmie P. O.

WANTED—A small rowboat in good condition, for cash; must be cheap. Box 3034, Colonist.

WANTED to purchase, a small gasoline wood cutting outfit, capacity eight to ten cords per day; state lowest cash price. Reply to Box 3198, Colonist.

WILL buy any kind of old wagons, buggies or harness. Phone 1117L, or Box 812, Colonist.

WANTED—Motor launch, 30 to 30 feet; give full particulars and cash price. Box 3012, Colonist.

WANTED—Second-hand boat or canoe, must be cheap. J. J. Matheson, 786 Fort St.

WANTED—Good piano on loan or hire, Oak Bay. Box 3113, Colonist.

WATCHES, diamonds and jewelry, or any old dental work, such as crowns, teeth or plates; will weigh up and give value of the gold. M. Stern, 609 Yates Street, branch 1409 Store Street. Phone 4810.

WANTED—Portable chicken house and run, in good condition; large enough for a dozen fowls; must be reasonable. Box 3161, Colonist.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

AIRY rooms, kitchenette, central, cheap. Phone 4421R.

AT Royal Hotel (opposite Times Bldg.), furnished housekeeping rooms, gas range, water.

CLOSE Government Buildings, nicely furnished housekeeping rooms, 521 Simcoe Street.

FRONT suite furnished housekeeping rooms; two blocks from post office. 724 Humboldt Street.

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms and cabins, $5 month up; free kitchen. 1086 Hillside.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms. 1707 Blanshard.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms. 920 Fort St.

THREE furnished housekeeping rooms, ten minutes from post office. 702 Vancouver St.

TO Let—Two or three unfurnished rooms, cheap. 1017 Burdett.

FURNISHED ROOMS

COMFORTABLE room, suit two gentlemen, or married couple. 812 Johnson.

FURNISHED rooms, suit business lady, Foul Bay, $6 monthly. Box 3115, Colonist.

NICELY furnished room with breakfast, reasonable, close to park. 1029 Oliphant St., phone 1279R.

ROOM AND BOARD

AT 813 Cook Street, residence-board; also table board. Phone 1068.

AT 506 Gov't. St., comfortable, quiet room and board; reasonable terms. Phone 5262R.

AT "The Oaks," Blanshard and McLure Streets, superior board-residence, very quiet; English cooking, liberal table, terms from $30 per month. Also table board and furnished bedrooms. Phone 3907.

AT "Seaview," 430 Dallas, James Bay, very fine, comfortable front room with balcony, overlooking sea; superior board residence if desired; very reasonable terms; all conveniences; tennis court, bathing beach. Phone 4082R.

AT 836 Superior Street, near Park and Government Buildings. Phone 489L.

COMFORTABLE room with board, near Government Buildings; moderate. 116 Menzies St. Phone 443.

COMFORTABLE room and board, reasonable, close in. 615 Vancouver St., phone 3820X.

CHERRYBANK — First class private board. Pleasantly and conveniently situated. 813 Quadra Street.

COMFORTABLE rooms, good table, piano, phone. Also comfortably furnished sleeping tent; easy walking distance. 517 Government Street.

ROOM and board, good home cooking, gentlemen preferred. 1405 Fernwood Road.

TABLE board at 860 Yates Street, $4 a week.

THE Gloucester, 1140 Fort Street, board and rooms, excellent home cooking, moderate terms. Phone 5003X.

WANTED—ROOM AND BOARD

ROOM and board required with quiet, private family; no other boarders preferred. Terms, etc., to Box 3069, Colonist.

TO RENT—MISCELLANEOUS

A FRONT office to rent, Board of Trade Building. Apply secretary, on premises.

FINE piano to rent, cheap. Apply 1028 Chambers St.

NEW stores and apartments, large garden. Owner will rent for interest on mortgage. Corner Warren, on Carey Rd. Box 3129, Colonist.

STRONG tent frame on beach, 12x9½ ft. Box 3131, Colonist.

TO Rent—Lot on Aberdeen Street, Esquimalt, close to waterfront. $1 per month. Phone 2890.

TO Let—House, stable, shed, fowl house, water, one acre of land; $16 per month. Morley, Lake Hill, Quadra Street.

TO Rent—Lot near waterfront, Esquimalt; ideal spot for anyone wishing to put house-tent on same. Phone 2890.

FLATS OR APARTMENTS

AT Hampton Court, unfurnished suites, delightfully situated, opposite Beacon Hill Park and two minutes' walk from sandy beach. Phone 905.

APARTMENTS—Three and four rooms, bath, $8 and $10, stores $10; close in. Apply 1375 Rudlin. Phone 4235R.

ALL beautifully clean, furnished suites, Normandie Apartments. Phone 1789L.

AT Mt. Edwards, Vancouver Street, furnished and unfurnished suites, large rooms; car fare saved; one and two-roomed suites.

APARTMENTS to Let — At Collinson Apartments, 1116 Collinson Street, also modern 4-room apartment.

BRIGHT, cheerful flats, close beach, beautiful view, low rent. 12 Boyd St., James Bay.

BUNGALOW suites at Foul Bay, three large rooms, unfurnished, $20 and $12, with water. Owner. 1860 Crescent Road, phone 3372L.

BEAUTIFULLY clean and comfortable, at Summer prices, furnished apartments, lots of hot water. 2914 Douglas St. The Belwil.

CENTRAL Park Apartments, corner Queens and Vancouver Street, 2-room suite for rent.

FACING sea, two 3 or 5-room fully furnished suites; veranda; all conveniences; moderate terms. 910 Sunrise Ave., Foul Bay.

GLENGARRY, 810 Cook Street, up-to-date. Phones 5193 or 5397L.

MT. Douglas Apartments, Fort and Pandora—One choice furnished double suite; one unfurnished, by week or month. P. E. Brown, Agent. Grand [illegible].

MOUNT View apartments, Joseph and Rushby, 2-room suites, furnished, $15; unfurnished $12. Campbell Bros., 1007 Government Street.

MORRISON Mansions—Corner Hollis and Chester, Fairfield, good three-room bath suites, furnished or unfurnished.

OLYMPIC Apartments, 1130 May Street, facing Beacon Hill Park. Furnished suites to rent, 4 and 2-roomed. Phone 2133.

ONE furnished apartment, $30; one unfurnished; [illegible] [illegible]. Keys at Apartment 6.

FLATS OR APARTMENTS (Continued)

PARK Mansions—Apartments to rent, furnished and unfurnished, two blocks from city hall. Low rent. Phone 1071L.

TO Let—Modern apartments, McDonald Block, free telephone. Phone 7311.

TO Rent—Suites, newly furnished apartments, bath, electric light. Gladstone Avenue, $12 up. Phone 5493 from 9 to 5 or after 7.

BUSINESS CHANCES

CANADIAN Manufacturing Company holding valuable patents, giving monopoly of large profitable business, requires representative in Victoria who may later go to London, England, as British manager; must be in position to secure additional capital. Large cash capital already subscribed. Will pay reasonable salary, increasing as business develops. A thoroughly genuine opportunity. Address applications to Box 3155, Colonist.

FIRST-class dairy business, excellent opportunity, shows big profit on investment, $1,500 required to handle. Owner leaving city. Business Agency, 13 Mahon Bldg.

FOR Sale—Cigar stand. Apply 1338 Government Street.

GOOD cash business for sale, owner leaving city for England. Box 3185, Colonist.

SPECIAL low rates on circular letters or post cards that bring the business and cannot be detected from typewriting. Our prices include postage, printed letterheads or post cards and envelopes, typing letter, folding and enclosing, stamping and sealing, addressing and supplying names. Letters $20.50 per 1,000; post cards, $21.50 per 1,000. For $121 we can reach every home worth reaching. Note—We refund postage on all returns through parties having moved. Newton Advertising Agency, Winch Bldg., Victoria, B. C., phone 1915.

WANT TO EXCHANGE

ACREAGE—Five acres, excellent soil, good house, 20 miles from Victoria, exchange for good car. Box 3212, Colonist.

FOR Exchange—320 acres, choice dairy or grain farm, close to station; well improved, in Alberta, exchange for farm and stock near Victoria. Apply A. Dodds, 925 Johnson Street, after 5.

HAVE good farms in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, would exchange one for good house or bungalow in Victoria. Please give particulars in letter to Box 506, city.

LOT in Vancouver, central, worth $15,000 at present, to exchange for small farm with buildings, near Victoria. Box 3208, Colonist.

TWO city lots, house and store, for cottage and acreage in country. Apply 3201, Colonist.

WE specialize in exchanging all classes of property; 600 trades to choose from. Campbell Bros., 1007 Government Street.

WILL exchange 100 acres, sea and river frontage, about 60 acres cleared, balance partly cleared, situated near Duncan, for revenue producing property, dividend paying shares, or interest in paying business, value $15,000. Apply P. O. Box 334, Duncan, V. I.

WANTED—Modern home in exchange for titled Port Alberni city lots; small mortgage no objection. Apply 906 B. C. Permanent Bldg.

AUTOMOBILES

AUTOMOBILES for Sale—Five-passenger Ford, Bosch magneto. Cadillac, 7-passenger, new tires, like new; will take Ford in trade. 1912 Overland, $475. 5-passenger Ford, overhauled and painted, $325. 1913 motor cycle, will run 200 miles to one gallon, $60. Five-passenger Buick, $550. Ford roadster, cheap. Cameron, 521 Superior St., behind Parliament Bldgs.

A 1913 Twin Motor Cycle for sale for $150. Must sell by Saturday. Condition of same guaranteed. Address at once to Box 3024, Colonist.

CADILLAC 4-passenger, in extra good order; all good tires, $325. E. J. Cameron, 1012 Yates.

CHASE 1,500 lb. truck, $500. E. J. Cameron, 1012 Yates St.

FOR Sale—Second-hand Ford in good order; tires as new; price $300. Plimley's Garage, Johnson St.

FOR Sale—1913 Overland, just overhauled and tires, etc., in good order; price $650. Apply Plimley's Garage, Johnson St., city.

FOR Sale—Russell, 22 h.p., Silent Knight, 5-passenger car; price $650. Plimley's Garage, 735 Johnson St., city.

FOR Sale—Two cylinder, 5-passenger Swift, price $150. Plimley's Garage, 735 Johnson St., city.

FORD, 1914 model, very little used, a sacrifice, price $350; terms half cash, balance monthly. Box 3158, Colonist.

FIVE-passenger Chalmers car for sale, in good order. Apply 963 Yates St.

OVERLAND — Five-passenger, complete, in good running order; price $400. Apply 735 Johnson St., Plimley's Garage.

OVERLAND, 1912, splendid running order, 5-passenger, 30 h.p., price $665, on terms. Box 4150, Colonist.

SLIGHTLY used six cylinder 50 h.p. car, good order, guaranteed one year, 1914 model; will trade for good first mortgage or smaller car. P. O. Box 1576, city.

TO be sold at a big sacrifice, 5-passenger touring car, in first-class condition, fully equipped; electric starter and lights; gas saver, etc. Apply Jameson & Rolfe Garage.

WANTED—Five-passenger Ford in good condition; state full particulars and lowest cash price. Box 3186, Colonist.

WANTED to rent, auto for jitney. Hudson preferred. Box 3229, Colonist.

WANTED—Two or 5-passenger automobile. Box 3146, Colonist.

1912 FIVE-passenger McLaughlin-Buick, gray color, self-starter, excellent condition. Will sell cheap. Owner, phone 3953.

POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK

ALL heavy layers—Bingham's Barred Rocks. Eggs for hatching, $1 per setting. 2646 Forbes St. Phone 4575L.

BABY chicks, latest hatch, Wednesday, June 2; day-old chicks, 25c each. Geo. D. Adams, P. O. Box 840, Victoria, B. C.

ENGLISH bulldog, female, pedigreed, splendid pet. Will exchange for anything useful. Box O. B., Colonist.

FOR Sale—English bull pups, highest pedigree, some beauties. J. Slingerland, Royal Oak.

FOR Sale—Little pigs, big pigs, all kinds of pigs. A. Reynolds, Sooke, B. C.

FIELD Spaniel puppies, parents have unbeaten records; also young Fox Terrier dog. Hincks, Langford P. O.

FOR Sale—First-class team, run single or double, 2,700 lbs. Apply 1988 Davie Street.

FOR Sale—Horses, harness, wagons, heavy and light. B. & S. Stables, 741 Pandora.

HORSE, rig and harness for sale. Apply 2002 Oak Bay Ave.

LANGSHAN eggs, Collier strain, $1.50. Humphrey's and Selkirk Ave.

PEDIGREE Berkshire boar for sale, 1½ years old, well bred, and a good individual, $25; also a 7 months boar, $15; pedigrees with both. F. Arnold Lejeune, Galiano Island, B. C.

QUIET horse, and wagon, for milk delivery, or separate. Monthly instalments. Box 3224, Colonist.

SETTINGS from S. C. White Leghorns (noted New Zealand birds); first pen, $2; second pen, $1.50. A. Lang, Rangatira Poultry Ranch, Carey Road.

TOULOUSE geese, 20 goslings, for sale, seven weeks to one month old. What offer? S. Saunders, R. M. D. No. 3, corner Carey Road and Kenneth St.

FOR RENT—HOUSES

A SIX-room house, bathroom and pantry, fully modern, on Prior Street, near Hillside; rent $16 per month. Phone 3039Y.

A VERY desirable house, eight rooms, in splendid condition; all modern, Longbranch Avenue, Oak Bay; rent reasonable to reliable tenant. F. E. Hart & Co., Ltd. Phone 381.

FOR rent, $12, 5-room cottage on Cambridge, opposite George Jay School; every convenience. Phone 1935R.

FOR RENT—HOUSES (Continued)

FIVE rooms, Burns Ave., $5 month; 5 rooms, Yale St., $12 month; 7 rooms, Princess Ave., $10 month; 6 rooms, Eberts St., $12 month; 6 rooms, Alpha St., $10 month; 7 rooms, Oliver St., $15 month; 8 rooms, Montreal St., $10 month; 7 rooms, Moss St., $35 month; 6 rooms, Regent St., $10 month; 5 rooms, Bell St., $8 month; 6 rooms, Mason St., $8 month; 7 rooms, Olympia Ave., $15 month; 6 rooms, Niagara St., $18 month; 8 rooms, Niagara St., $15 month. Green & Burdick Bros., Ltd., Broughton and Langley Sts., phones 4169 and 4170.

FOR Rent—Strictly modern 7-room house. Apply 844 Queens Avenue, phone Menagh, 5810.

FIVE-room modern cottage, ten minutes from post office. Apply 702 Vancouver St.

FOR Rent—2630 Quadra Street, modern 11-room house, $25 month. T. P. McConnell, 222A Pemberton Bldg.

FOR Rent—Six-room modern house, $16, corner St. Lawrence and Michigan, James Bay. Furniture for sale. Apply 399 St. Lawrence, phone 3063R.

FOR Rent—Six-room house, Rock Bay, $7 a month. Wise & Co., 109 Pemberton Block.

HAMPSHIRE Road, close to Avenue, six rooms, $15. New, six rooms, Scott Street, $10. Several small homes at $7. Dunford's, 212 Union Bank.

JAMES Bay—Five-room house with linoleums, 423 Powell Street, $15 month. Phone 1596R.

NEW modern house, seven rooms, Belmont, $15. Apply 1444 Pembroke.

TO Rent—Six-room modern bungalow, electric fixtures, hot water heated, hot and cold water, good range, connected, awnings and window shades and blinds, large lot, lots of flowers, linoleum on hall, bath and toilet and kitchen; only $20 per month. 1634 North Hampshire Road. Phone 3898R1.

TO Rent—Two-room place, modern conveniences; rent low. 1174 Mitchell Street, Oak Bay.

THREE-room modern house basement. J. Smethurst, 68 Dupplin Road, end Douglas car.

TO Let—Fully modern 5-room bungalow, best part of Oak Bay, near car, only $15. Heisterman, Forman & Co., 1210 Broad St.

$10 MONTH—New 4-room bungalow with basement, enamel bath, burlap, chandeliers. 1744 Second St.

$20 MONTH—Nearly new 7-room house, near Parliament Buildings; has new range, linoleum on floors, stair carpet, etc. No. 541 Toronto St.

1016 McCLURE, near Vancouver Street, seven rooms, sunny and pleasant. Owner, 1809 Crescent Road, phone 3372R.

329 MICHIGAN, modern; moderate rent.

726 POWDERLY Avenue, 6-room cottage, modern, large garden, $12 month. Call 2198Y.

WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES

WANTED to Rent—Small cottage, four or five rooms, furnished or part furnished, no small children. Box 3220, Colonist.

WANTED to Rent—Unfurnished bungalow, 5 or 6 rooms and basement, Beacon Hill or James Bay district. Apply Box 3174, Colonist.

FURNISHED HOUSES TO LET

BEAUTIFULLY situated 6-room bungalow, overlooking sea and golf course, at Qualicum; hot and cold water, electric light, comfortably furnished. Apply Merchants' Finance and Trading Co., Ltd., 406 Belmont Bldg.

COSY 5-room furnished cottage, ten minutes from post office. 1020 Collinson.

FIVE rooms, Ash Street, $16 month; 6 rooms, Connaught St., $20 month; 7 rooms, Douglas St., $35 month; 6 rooms, Niagara St., $30 month; 5 rooms, Sunrise Ave., $20 month; 7 rooms, So. Turner St., $25 month; 5 rooms, Linwood Ave., $25 month; 7 rooms, Richmond Road, $40 month; 6 rooms, Davie St., $25 month; 9 rooms, Maclure St., $70 month; 6 rooms, Rupert St., $30 month; 7 rooms, Rupert St., $25 month. Green & Burdick Bros., Ltd., Broughton and Langley Sts., phones 4169 and 4170.

FOR Rent—Furnished modern house, in good locality. Phone 1347L.

FURNISHED shack, $20 Fort Street.

FOUR-ROOM furnished cottage, garden, good location, $20. 1009 Gladstone Avenue.

MODERN home, eight rooms, well furnished, garage, large lot, lawns, shrubbery, easy walking distance, $40. Dunford's, 212 Union Bank.

NEW modern 6-room house, almost completely furnished, including new player-piano; nice location, fine view, $20 per month. Apply 1549 Pembroke St.

TO Let—Five-room bungalow on Portage Inlet, furnished, use of boat; no children. Box 3215, Colonist.

TO Let—Superior furnished house, close in. Apply 1054 Burdett Ave.

WELL furnished 6-room bungalow, close Fort Street, $30. Apply 1915 Duchess Street.

WANT—FURNISHED HOUSES

FURNISHED house, near Victoria High School, month of July; terms and particulars to Flower, Dawson School, Vancouver, B. C.

WANTED—Four or 5-room bungalow, two bedrooms, fully furnished, on the sea, for Summer months, within easy reach of town; rent moderate. Box 3199, Colonist.

WANTED to Rent—Five or 6-room house or bungalow, furnished, Oak Bay, Fairfield or Willows district preferred. Box 3152, Colonist.

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—Young Pomeranian bitch, white, plain strap collar. Same may be had by paying for this advertisement. Fire Hall, corner Douglas and Burnside.

LOST—A four-leaf shamrock brooch set with seed pearls, with chain attached, between C. P. R. wharf and Government, near Niagara. Finder please return to C. S., Colonist office.

LOST—Lady's large silk scarf on Gorge car, May 24. Please phone 3010X.

LOST—Ten days ago, Irish setter, cross breed, white chest and feet. Notify 228 Douglas or phone 1716.

LOST—Little Yorkshire sow, 14 months old. Box 3131, Colonist.

LOST—On Oak Bay car, Government, Cormorant or Douglas Streets, small silver mesh purse. Phone 487. Reward.

LOST—Gold pearl crescent brooch between View and Queen's Ave., or Hillside jitney. Reward. Return to Vernon Cafe, Douglas Street.

STRAYED from 863 Burnside Road, terrier pup. Anyone found harboring same will be prosecuted.

AGENTS WANTED

AGENTS wanted to handle auto specialty, commission $1.25 on every sale. Ask for particulars, P. O. Box 380, Vernon, B. C.

WANTED—Responsible representative in each county; new combination, 12 tools in 1; sells at sight to farmers, teamsters, contractors, etc. Weight 24 pounds; lifts three tons, hoists, stretches wire, pulls posts. Many other uses. Free sample to active agents; easy work; big profits. One agent's profit $45.50 in one day. Another $1,000 in December, 1914. We start you. Write today for big color plate. Quick action secures exclusive sale. Harrah Mfg. Co., Box C, Bloomfield, Ind.

WANTED—Ladies permanently or spare time to distribute religious literature. Make two or three dollars daily. Linscott Company, Brantford, Ontario.

FARMS AND GARDENS

FOR Sale—Fine estate near Victoria, now used as a dairy ranch; situation beautiful and accessible, on main highway and railway; contains 146 acres, about 70 bottom land, with some water frontage, price $250 per acre, suitable terms. Because of situation property very desirable and destined to become suburban acreage. Sporting possibilities would appeal to settler from Old Country. Land will support large herd of cows and return assured income. Address owner, Box 3223, Colonist.

PLANTS—Tomato, cabbage, celery, cauliflower, cucumber, marrow, and all kinds of flower bedding plants, trees and shrubs. Quadra Greenhouse Co., Ltd. Store 613 Fort St., City. Greenhouse and nurseries, Quadra St., Saanich.

WANTED TO BORROW

ADVERTISER wishes to borrow $1,500 at 8 per cent, on six-room bungalow, on 3-mile circle on car line; worth $4,500. Address Owner, Box 2915, Colonist.

MONEY TO LOAN

I HAVE money to loan on 8 per cent mortgage; residential properties, inside city and Oak Bay limits. C. S. Mann, 516 Belmont Bldg.

TENDERS WANTED

WANTED—Price on wiring house. Also brick chimneys and piers. Also stock of wall paper for sale. W. McCully, 3500 Shelbourne St.

CROFT & ASHBY

Phone 3003—614 View St.—P. O. Box 566

TIMBER Lands—Over 10,000,000,000 feet in British Columbia, Oregon and Washington.

PULP propositions with water power.

MINES—Iron, Chrome Iron, Galena, Graphite, Copper, Etc.

FARMS—Northwest and British Columbia, from $5 per acre.

COAL mines developed.

Synopsis of Coal Mining Regulations

COAL mining rights of the Dominion, in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the North-West Territories and in a portion of the Province of British Columbia, may be leased for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of $1 an acre. Not more than 2,560 acres will be leased to one applicant.

Application for a lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent or Sub-Agent of the district in which the rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal sub-divisions of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of $5 which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available, but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated, such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lessee may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of $10 an acre.

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy Minister of the Interior.

N. B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.—58782.

FOR SALE

Tenders will be received by the undersigned for the purchase of Lot 1, being a subdivision of Lot 1, Block "J," Fairfield Estate, Map 884, up to noon on the 31st of May, 1915. Tenderers will state price offered and terms asked, but must enclose accepted cheque for 10 per cent of the proposed purchase price, to be applied in part payment if the tender is accepted. The highest, or any tender, not necessarily accepted.

The said property is situated on the southeast corner of Cook and May Streets, Victoria, facing Beacon Hill Park, with a frontage of 60 feet on Cook Street and 120 feet on May Street, good soil and very desirable location.

Dated May 5, 1915.

BASS & BULLOCK-WEBSTER,
Law Chambers, Bastion Street, Victoria, B. C., Solicitors for the Owner.

TENDERS FOR PURCHASE OF ELECTRICAL STOCK

Sealed tenders for the purchase of the stock of electrical goods, furniture and fixtures contained in the premises 1108 Douglas Street, the property of the Cressm-Hughes Electric Company, assigned, will be received by the undersigned on the premises up to noon of the 29th day of May, 1915, the highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

HUGH KENNEDY,
Assignee.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Board of License Commissioners for the City of Victoria at its next sitting, on the second Wednesday in June, 1915, for a transfer of the license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors by retail upon the premises known as the Prince George Hotel, situate at the southwest corner of Douglas and Pandora Streets, in the City of Victoria, from Joseph William Wallis to Ernest Albert Willsher.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 8th day of May, 1915.

JOSEPH WILLIAM WALLIS,
By his Attorney in Fact, Richard Hall.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND NEXT-OF-KIN

In the Estate of Mary Ann Hocking, late of Victoria, British Columbia, Widow, deceased intestate.

Take notice that Letters of Administration to the estate of Mary Ann Hocking, of Victoria, B.C., Widow, deceased, who died intestate on or about the 17th day of April, 1914, have been issued out of the Supreme Court of British Columbia to Sydney Robert Newton, of Victoria, aforesaid, the Attorney-in-fact of Ann Alma Trevethick, Emily Jane Barnett and Jane Barrett. All persons having claims against the estate are required to send the same in writing, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the 19th day of June, 1915, and all persons claiming to be the next-of-kin to the said deceased are required to send in full particulars, in writing, of such claims on or before the said 19th day of June, 1915, after which date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the estate, having regard only to such claims of which he shall have received notice. All persons indebted to the said estate are to pay the amount of their indebtedness to the undersigned forthwith.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., the 5th day of May, 1915.

MASON & MANN,
Of 1113 Langley Street, Victoria, B.C., Solicitors for the said Administrator, Sydney Robert Newton.

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that, under the Imperial Army Act, a soldier of the "Regular Forces cannot be placed under "stoppage of pay for a private debt.

"If the inhabitants within the divisional area or district suffer soldiers of "the Permanent Force to contract debts, "they do so at their own risk."

W. E. HODGINS,
Brigadier-General,
Acting Adjutant-General.

Ottawa, May 10, 1915.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department of Militia and Defence. (H.Q. 54-14-1.)—80355.

$1,000 Reward

One Thousand Dollars Reward is offered to anyone supplying information which will lead to the conviction of the party or parties who blew up the dam of the undersigned at the North outlet of Prospect Lake on May 26.

The
VANCOUVER PORTLAND CEMENT Company, Limited.

ESTATE OF S. L. [illegible] DECEASED

All persons having claims against the Estate are required to send particulars thereof, duly verified; and all persons indebted to the Estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to the undersigned on or before the [illegible] day of June, 1915.

Dated the 15th day of May, 1915.

[illegible],
Solicitor for the Executor,
[illegible] Chambers, Victoria, B. C.

STOCK MARKET FALLS INTO STAGNATION

Volume of Business Declines to Very Low Point and Prices Show Weakness—Canadian Pacific Loses Three Points.

NEW YORK, May 28.—All records in recent days for dullness in stock dealings were lowered today, the total turnover barely reaching 170,000 shares. The first hour witnessed about 60,000 shares changing hands, but after that the hourly average was scarcely over 25,000. Initial quotations showed a majority of gains over losses, but this improvement was restricted to shares of secondary importance, including motors and other specialties subject to professional manipulation. The chief element of restraint was the delay attending the German answer to the American note regarding the Lusitania incident. The market was alive with rumors dealing with the purport of that momentous communication, but these savored of surmise or conjecture. Further British reverses in the Dardanelles and elsewhere also served to limit trading.

Among the few notable movements of the session was the weakness of C. P. R., which declined 3 points. That stock is regarded as the barometer of the list abroad, but so far as was ascertainable, no sales for foreign account were made here today.

United States Steel made only feeble response to the encouraging public address delivered by Chairman Gary, and coppers seemed to have discounted the higher dividend disbursements announced by a number of the leading metal producing and selling companies. Increased steadiness was shown by foreign exchange, receipt of an additional $2,500,000 gold from Ottawa serving toward that end. Rates for virtually all continental exchange are assuming more normal conditions. Domestic bank exchanges offer evidence of further improvement in general lines of business, and the local movement of cash indicates another gain in bank reserves. Time loans were made today at a slight reduction from yesterday's quotation, with little inquiry.

Apart from steadiness, bonds were without feature. Total sales (par value), $1,590,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, May 28.—The tone of the butter market is weak. Cheese is fairly active, and the undertone is strong. Demand for eggs is good.

Cheese—Finest Westerns, 18¾ to 19¼; finest Easterns, 18¼ to 18½.

Butter—Choicest creamery, 27½ to 28; seconds, 26¼.

Eggs—Fresh, 22 to 32; selected, 24 to 25.

Pork—Heavy Canada short mess, 29; short cut back, 28½.

REVIEW OF TRADE

NEW YORK, May 28.—Dispatches to Dun's Review from branch offices in the leading trade centres of the Dominion of Canada report a fair volume of business in wholesale lines, though the prevailing tendency among merchants is to confine purchases to requirements.

Montreal reports a seasonable demand for drygoods and a normal trade in groceries, but clothing and footwear are quiet, and the movement of some building materials, which have been quite active, shows some falling off.

General trade at Quebec is rather quiet, and the boot and shoe industry is not very active, but some manufacturers who have benefited by war orders are busy.

Wholesale business at Toronto is quiet, but retail trade throughout the Province is quite active.

In the Far West and Northwest such progress as has been made is well maintained, and owing to the generally favorable crop outlook, confidence in the future shows an increase.

Winnipeg reports a gradual trend towards normal conditions in numerous lines, there being a better demand for drygoods and hardware.

City trade at Vancouver is still below normal, but the demand for seasonable merchandise has slightly increased.

Gross earnings of all Canadian railroads reporting to date for three weeks in May disclose a decrease of 19.7 per cent, as compared with the corresponding period a year ago.

Commercial failures in Canada this week numbered 42, as against 44 last week and 32 the same week last year.

LOCAL RETAIL MARKETS

Fruits		
Apples, New Zealand, box		$2.75
Apples, Yakima, box	$2.00	2.75
Bananas, dozen		.30
Grape Fruit, Cal., 3 for		.25
Grape Fruit, Florida, 3		.25
Lemons, Cal., doz.	.20 and	.25
Oranges, dozen	.25, .35,	.45
Pears, N. Zealand, 4 for		.25
Strawberries, local, box		.20
Strawberries, Kennewick		.20
Vegetables		
Asparagus, local, bdle.		.15
Artichokes, Globe, each		.10
Beets, bunch		.05
Cabbage, 4 lbs.		.25
Carrots, 2 bunches		.10
Celery, head		.15
Cucumbers, Hot H., each	.10 and	.15
Garlic, lb.		.30
Lettuce, Cal., head		.10
Lettuce, local, head		.05
Onions, green, 2 bundles		.10
Onions, Cal., dry, 7 lbs.		.25
Onions, Spanish, 6 lbs.		.25
Parsley, bunch		.05
Peas, local, green, lb.		.10
Peas, green, lb.		.15
Horseradish, lb.		.20
Potatoes, Ashcroft, 100-lb.		1.75
Potatoes, Fraser River, 100 lbs.		1.00
Potatoes, local, 100-lb.		1.25
Tomatoes, local H.H., lb.	.20 and	.25
Watercress, bunch		.05
Rhubarb, 5 lbs.		.25
Spinach, 6 lbs.		.25
Radishes, 3 bunches		.05
Sugar		
B. C. Granulated, 20 lbs.		1.45
B. C. Granulated, 100 lbs.		7.15
Dairy Produce and Eggs		
Butter—		
Comox, lb.		.40
Cowichan Creamery, lb.		.40
[illegible] Creamery, lb.		.35
New Zealand, lb.		.40
Northwest Creamery		.35
Cheese—		
Canadian, lb.		.25
Canadian Stilton, lb.	.25 and	.35
[illegible]		.30
Eggs, local, doz.		.30
Feed		
[illegible], 100 lbs.		[illegible]
[illegible], ground, 100 lbs.		[illegible]
Bran, 100 lbs.		1.55
Corn, 100 lbs.		[illegible]
Corn, cracked, 100 lbs.		[illegible]
Oats, 100 lbs.		[illegible]
Oats, crushed, 100 lbs.		[illegible]
Shorts, 100 lbs.		[illegible]
Wheat, No. 1, 100 lbs.		[illegible]
Wheat, No. 2, 100 lbs.		[illegible]
Hay, Alberta, ton	20.00 to	22.00
Hay, [illegible], ton	18.00 to	22.00
Straw, bale		.75
Flour		
A. & K. [illegible] Flour, [illegible] sack		2.20
[illegible], 49-lb. sack		2.20
[illegible], 49-lb. sack		2.20
Robin Hood, 49-lb. sack		2.15
Royal Household, 49-lb. sack		2.20
Royal Standard, 49-lb. sk.		2.25
Gold Seal, 49-lb. sk.		2.10
Snowflake, 49-lb. sk.		2.15
Wild Rose, 49-lb. sk.		2.15
Meats		
Beef, loin roast, lb.	.25 to	.28
Beef, ribs, lb.	.18 to	.22
Beef, boiling	.10 to	.15
Mutton, forequarters, lb.	.20 to	.25
Mutton, hindquarters, lb.	.27 to	.30
Chickens, lb.	.25 to	.30
Fowl, lb.		.30
Broilers, lb.		.40
Fryers, each		.50
Ducks, young, lb.		.25
Geese, lb.		.35
Bacon, Canadian Sugar Cured, lb.	.25 to	.30
Hams, Canadian Sugar Cured, lb.	.18 to	.25
Pork, Shoulders, lb.	.15 to	.18
Pork, Loins, lb.	.18 to	.20
Pork, Legs, lb.	.18 to	.20
Pork, Sausage, pure		.20
Turkeys, cold storage, lb.		.30
Fish		
Bloaters, lb.		.10
Cod, lb.		.10
Finnan Haddie, lb.		.12½
Halibut, lb.		.12½
Halibut, smoked, lb.		.15
Herring, lb.		.05
Herring, Kippered, lb.		.10
Oysters, Esquimalt, doz.		.30
Salmon, lb.		.15
Salmon, frozen, lb.		.10
Salmon, smoked, lb.	.10 to	.25
Salmon, Kippered, lb.		.15
Skate, lb.		.10
Smelts, lb.		.10
Soles, lb.		.10
Whiting, lb.		.12½

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Victoria Taxpayers

PAY YOUR LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENTS By 31st May Inst.

Otherwise interest either at 8 per cent or 12 per cent (according to the authority under which the works were done) will be added.

EDWIN C. SMITH,
Treasurer and Collector

City Hall, Victoria, B.C.,
22nd May, 1915.

AUSTRIAN REPORT

Statement Is Made That Teutonic Armies Are Pressing Russians Back on San River

VIENNA, May 28.—In an effort to check further advance of the allied troops in the River San sector, states an official communication issued by the Austrian War Office, Russian reinforcements were brought forward from the North. The text of the communication follows:

"Yesterday, Russian reinforcements coming from the North on several sectors of the front, gathered east of the River San, and by means of violent attacks attempted to check further advances of the allied troops. Their attacks, both day and night, miscarried, and the allied troops gained more ground on both sides of the Wysnia. Near Sieniawa, small Austro-Hungarian detachments were compelled to retreat to the west bank of the San before a strong Russian force, and were compelled to leave some guns on the east bank.

"Engagements near Drohobycz and Stry are proceeding successfully. Despite stubborn resistance, fresh Russian positions have been captured. On the Pruth and in Russian Poland nothing has occurred worthy of report.

"In the Tyrol, Italian detachments crossed the frontier in several places where they had provisionally to deal only with small bodies of patrols.

"The bombardment of our frontier fortifications with heavy artillery has ceased."

NO RECORD FOR FABER

Report That Mathewson's World's Record Had Been Broken Proved Inaccurate

A report from Chicago states that Urban Faber, Rowland's sensational young pitcher, had broken a world's record when he retired Washington in nine innings by pitching only sixty-seven balls, but this is incorrect. The report stated that this broke a mark made by Mathewson several seasons ago.

Faber did break one mark set by Mathewson, but the New York marvel still holds the record. He threw but sixty-five balls in defeating the Phillies in a game in the city in 1911. This mark is absolutely accurate, because there was hardly a scribe in the press box that afternoon who was not counting the number of balls pitched, because in the previous series Sam Crane, of The New York Journal, contended that Matty had thrown but sixty-nine balls in beating Brooklyn.

Faber's mark is vouched for only because that was the number of balls recorded on an electric scoreboard in town, which might possibly have missed many foul balls that were made after two strikes had been called on the batter, as these had no direct bearing on the figures placed on the board.

Gets Small Bequest

CHICAGO, May 28.—Out of an estate valued at more than $1,000,000, the former Princess de Chimay, who was Clara Ward, of Detroit, is bequeathed only $1,000, it was learned today, by the will of her mother, Mrs. Catherine L. Ward-Morrow, of London.

Fell Ninety Feet

CALGARY, May 28.—John Dallas fell ninety feet to instant death, while aiding in the work of removing scaffolding from the new Government internal elevator at Calgary today. An inquest will be held.

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DEPARTMENT OF RAILWAYS

SONGHEES RESERVE TERMINALS

GRASS

Sealed tenders for the purchase of the grass crop on the Songhees Reserve Terminals property will be received by the Honorable the Minister of Railways, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C., up to and including Friday, the 4th of June, next.

The grass to be cut and removed within two weeks of the acceptance of the tender.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

The successful tenderer must assume all risks in connection with the cutting and removal of the grass from the above property, and must not in any way interfere with the stakes or with the work now in progress, and must conform in every way with the instructions given by the engineer-in-charge.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 27th day of May, 1915.

F. C. GAMBLE,
Chief Engineer,
Department of Railways.

Bear Reaches Nome

NOME, Alaska, May 28.—The coastguard steamer Bear, which sailed from Seattle May 11 with more than 1,000 sacks of mail, the accumulation of many months, arrived today and discharged the mail upon the shore ice, which extends half a mile out from land. The Bear fought her way through the ice floes the last two days of the voyage, but experienced no difficulty in reaching Nome.

Canadian Pacific Officials

CALGARY, May 28.—A. F. Stevens, general superintendent of the Canadian Pacific Railway at Calgary, who is being promoted to an important office at Montreal, will be succeeded here by J. M. Cameron, formerly superintendent at Medicine Hat and latterly of Vancouver.

It Will Be As Good As a Letter

Mail a Copy of The Daily Colonist to Your Friends Abroad

In the Feature Pages of The Daily Colonist May 30th Appears a Short History of

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The Story of This Organization Makes Very Interesting Reading

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of the Local Company of the Canadian National Reserve

Pictures of the Commanding Officers

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NOW that the holiday and outing season has really started, we are finding a greater demand than ever before for Middy Waists. Just opened up is another shipment of these popular styles and your inspection will be appreciated today. A few of the newest arrivals are:

All-White Middy Waists with Long Sleeves, patch pocket and lace front. Made from best quality Lonsdale jean. Each $1.50

Khaki Middy, with colored emblem embroidered on pocket; three-quarter length sleeve, red silk lace front, finished band around hips, and collar and cuffs trimmed with dark brown. Splendid value at $1.50

All-White Middy Waist of Lonsdale jean; lace front, embroidered collar, three-quarter length sleeve, and two pockets neatly inset in fold around hips. Very special value at $1.50

Children's Middies up from ....75¢

Middy Waist, same style as above, but with collar and cuffs of cadet and navy blue, with pipings of same shade. Each $1.50

Middy Waist of very fine quality Lonsdale jean; sailor collar with two rows of soutache braid, three-quarter length sleeves finished with cuffs, collar and cuffs of contrasting shades—navy, cadet and cardinal. Excellent value for $1.25

The "Admiral" Middy, has lace front with shield neatly embroidered in colors with the Red Ensign; round collar with revers, trimmed with braid, and band around hip..$1.75

Other Values From $1.00 Up

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A Fine Selection of Ladies' Colored Underskirts 75c to $7.50

RECENT arrivals of ladies' Underskirts make our selection one of the largest and best yet shown. We have an exceptionally fine assortment, which makes choosing here an easy matter and a pleasure.

At **75¢** there are Skirts in striped cambrics and black sateen.

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At **$1.90**. A splendid range in all the leading colors and a nice quality satin.

At **$2.50** and **$3.50**. A very fine range of English Moire Underskirts, also satins; all made with a deep flounce, pleated or gathered effects.

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THE fashionable Skirts that every woman is asking for are here today, marked at a very close price. There are Skirts in black and white checks with side pockets and stitched straps; also Skirts in good wearing quality serges in navy blue, Belgian blue and black, trimmed with military braid trimmings. Every Skirt a most desirable quality, and from an assortment of four dozen models you are sure to find your particular size here. Special at $5.75

—First Floor

Silk Sweater Sets of English Manufacture in All the Newest Shades—$12.50

SINCE we opened up this shipment on Thursday morning there has been some quick selling experienced. Women who were waiting the arrival of the particular shade they had set their hearts on having were quick to make their purchase and thus save disappointment. Today we can offer you this fine quality Silk Sweater with cap and scarf to match, in the following shades:

Gold, saxe blue, ivory, sand and navy, also in two-tone shades of purple with green and black and white, per set $12.50

Silk Sweater Sets at $10.00

Sweater Coat in a plain weave with belted back and V-shaped neck. Cap to match. In new shades of old rose, ashes of roses, flame, cerise, reseda, emerald, Alice blue and Copenhagen. Special value at, per set $10.00

—First Floor

We Use Strong Statements Regarding the "QUALITY" of Our Men's Suits at $12.50, $15.00, $18.00, and $25.00

Because we know that the Suits will back up every word we say. They are quality Suits in every sense of the word—because they are made up from the best quality materials it's possible to obtain at the prices quoted, while the tailoring has been carried out by expert tailors of the foremost manufacturers in men's wear.

To the man who must have a new Suit we say: "Come along and examine these for yourself." You have bought Suits before and you know a good quality Suit when you see one. These Suits will stand the closest inspection and your strongest criticism. Why not let us show you today? Your choice from English and Scotch tweeds, serges, worsteds, homespuns and cheviots in all the newest shades, patterns and styles.

—Main Floor

Very Smart Is the New Neckwear for Men and Boys Just Received

JUST opened up in the Men's Furnishing Department is a new shipment of men's and boys' knitted and Silk Neckwear. All the very latest novelties and colors are included.

Men's and Boys Knitted Neckwear—four-in-hand style in plain colors, fancy colors, and black and white. Special value at 25c

Men's Knitted Silk Neckwear in fancy stripes and in club colors, four-in-hand style. Also wide ends in pretty floral effects and fancy stripes. Special value at each 50c

Plain Colored Bengaline Ties, full width and length, with wide flowing ends. Special, each 75c

—Main Floor

June Sale of Whitewear Starts Tuesday Next

See Window Displays Today for Bargains in White Undermuslins, Waists and Embroideries

Two New Models in Ladies' Brassieres—Special at 85c

ONE model is made of heavy batiste, front fastening, and neatly trimmed top and bottom with torchon lace. The other model is also made of heavy quality batiste, reinforced under arms, front fastening and smartly trimmed with wide, heavy linen lace. Special, each 85c

—First Floor

New Shades in Lisle and Cotton Hose for Women and Children

Ladies' Lisle Hose in all the newest shades are here in a good serviceable quality, splendid for Summer wear. In colors purple, grey, Tipperary, primrose, pink, sky blue, royal, tan, white and black. Pair, 35c; 3 pairs for $1.00

Children's Lisle and Cotton Socks for Summer wear are here in plain white, white and colored tops and self colors; all sizes, per pair 25c

White Silk Socks at, pair 50c

Women's Cotton Hose, all sizes, in black, tan and white. Per pair 25c

Children's Cotton Hose, all sizes for boys and girls, in black, tan and white. Per pair 25c

—Main Floor

Special Sale of Ladies' Neckwear

Values to $1.00 for **50c** and **25c**.

Candy Specials Today

Plain Butterscotch, per lb. ....20¢

Almond Butterscotch, per lb. ....25¢

Maple Croquettes. Reg. 40c, per lb. 25¢

Sugar Candy, rock. Reg. 40c, lb. 25¢

Assorted Wafers. Reg. 45c, lb. ..25¢
(Lemon, Chocolate, Peppermint and Wintergreen)

Cocoanut Maple Fudge. Reg. 40c, per lb. ....25¢

Honey Nougat. Reg. 50c, per lb...35¢

Cadbury's Oval, selected. Per tin 70c and ....35¢

Fry's Chocolate Caramels, per box 10¢

Cherry Cocktails, per box ....10¢

Murray's Caramels, per box ....10¢

Walnut Lunch, per cake ....5¢

Fry's Chocolate Creams, per box ....5¢

Fry's Cigars, each ....1¢

Fry's Sticks, each ....1¢

Fry's Competition Result

Winning number of Fry's competition, 7735.

Consolation Prizes as Follows:

Second, No. 7511; third, No. 1111; Nos. 3337, 5597, 6135, 6617 and 7728.

—Main Floor

House Dresses That Women Need, Inexpensively Priced at $1.00, $1.45 and $1.90

ATTRACTIVE, cool and comfortable are these serviceable cotton House Dresses for Summer wear. Women who have to spend much time in the home, or in a hot kitchen, fully appreciate dresses of this character. We quote a few particulars, but we would like the pleasure of showing you the qualities and styles. They are much above the average for dresses usually sold at these prices:

At **$1.00** there are useful styles in light and dark fancy stripes and in various serviceable styles.

At **$1.45**. Good serviceable qualities in fancy striped percale; various styles and practically all sizes.

At **$1.90** we have a very big selection of styles, materials and colors from which you can choose, and the range of materials include fancy ginghams in floral and striped effects; a nice quality percale with neatly embroidered collars and yokes, also a good range of fancy checks. Every dress an attractive, serviceable quality, and, in fact, many would even make an attractive dress for picnic wear.

—First Floor

New Titles in Good Fiction—35c Each, 3 for $1.00

The Garden of Swords. By Max Pemberton.
Millionaires' Island. By Max Pemberton.
The Return of the Petticoat. By Warwick Deeping.
By Their Fruits. By Mrs. Campbell Praed.
Captain Black. By Max Pemberton.
A Daughter of the Storm. By Captain Frank Shaw.
Kidnapped. By R. L. Stevenson.
Father Stafford. By Anthony Hope.
The Little Minister. By J. M. Barrie.
Fatal Fingers. By Wm. Le Queux.
The Red Saint. By Warwick Deeping.
The Yellow God. By H. Rider Haggard.
Marie. By H. Rider Haggard.
Odd Craft. By W. W. Jacobs.
Dialstone Lane. By W. W. Jacobs.
Captains All. By W. W. Jacobs.
Oh, Christina. By J. J. Bell.
The Beloved Vagabond. By Wm. J. Locke.
The Scarlet Pimpernel. By Baroness Orczy.
I Will Repay. By Baroness Orczy.
Beau Brocade. By Baroness Orczy.
And Many Others

—Main Floor

Youths' and Boys' Outing Shirts That Represent Best Quality at Lowest Prices

BOYS who need new Outing Shirts for Summer wear have the advantage here of buying the very best grades at lowest prices, and at the same time we offer you the widest range of styles and fabrics. Note the following offerings:

$1.00 Outing Shirt for 75c

A Well-Made Shirt in coat shape, finished with starched collar band, soft bosom and soft double cuffs, a soft French collar to match each Shirt, and you have your choice from fine hairline stripes and striped cambrics, also plain white, cream and blue. Sizes 13, 13½ and 14 neck. A regular $1.00 value for 75c

Boys' "Puritan" Shirt Waists, the waist that's made like a blouse, fastening at the waist line with loops. In a splendid range of new designs in fancy stripes and plain shades. Soft double turndown collar, soft band cuffs; sizes 6 to 16 years. Special, each ....75¢

Boys' Shirt Waists—An exceptionally smart shirt in most attractive designs of light fancy stripes, the very thing for Summer wear. Each shirt is well made and finished with turn down attached collar. Sizes to fit boys from 6 to 14 years. Special at ....65¢

Boys' Shirt Waists, in light fancy stripes, plain shades and black sateen. These are made with the new double collar and draw strings at waist. Sizes 6 to 14 years. Special, each ....50¢

Boys' Outing and School Shirts, with turndown collar attached and band cuffs. In colors grey and blue duck, dark fancy stripes, white and cream fancy mat cloth, white cambric with self stripe, butcher blue, tan and Pongee shades. Sizes 11½ to 14 neck. Special value, each ....50¢

—Main Floor

Bedding Suitable for Home and Camp Use

WHETHER you require new Blankets for your Summer camp, cottage, or home use, you will find a full range of dependable qualities here at prices easily the lowest on the Pacific Coast. A comparison of the following qualities and prices will prove this.

Campers' Blankets in all weights, ranging from a 6-lb. dark grey to a 12-lb. silver-grey. Our qualities include cotton and wool mixtures, which are ideal for campers, medium weights in all-wool, and the high-grade qualities in fleece wool. Prices range from, pair, up to $14.00 from $3.25

House Blankets, white with pink or blue borders; full size, 60 x 80, at, per pair $3.50

Our Special Blanket, full size, made from carefully selected woolen yarns. Per pair $4.00

Better Qualities, in medium and heavy weights.

Scotch All-Wool Blankets, best make obtainable; made from pure all-wool yarns, beautifully soft; whipped ends. At, pair, $9.75, $8.75 and $6.75
Satin bound ends, $11.75, $13.50, $15

Medium Heavy Weight Canadian Blankets, in various sizes and qualities, at, pair, $11.00, $8.50, $7.50, $4.75, $4.50

Couch and Camp Bed Covers, in various pretty coverings, attractive and serviceable; sizes 60 x 80 and 64 x 96. Special, each $3.00

Mosquito Netting in green and white, 40 inches wide. At, per yard, 10c, or dozen yards for $1.00

—Main Floor

Note These Low Prices on Diamond Blue Enamelware

EVERY piece a good serviceable quality, made with a steel body and heavily coated with enamel. Buying in large quantities for our three stores accounts for these low prices.

Fry Pans
No. 7, price, each ....45¢
No. 8, price, each ....55¢
No. 9, price, each ....65¢

Granite Dish Pans
8-quart size, each ....60¢
10-quart size, each ....80¢
14-quart size, each ....90¢
17-quart size, each $1.00
21-quart size, each $1.25

Tea Kettles
No. 8, flat bottoms $1.25
No. 9, flat bottoms $1.50
The Daisy Kettle, each ....75¢

Tea or Coffee Pots
1-quart size, each ....45¢
1½-quart size, each ....50¢
2-quart size, each ....60¢
3-quart size, each ....70¢
4-quart size, each ....85¢

Stew Kettles
4-quart size, each ....65¢
6-quart size, each ....75¢
8-quart size, each $1.00
12-quart size, each $1.25

Cream Pitchers
Each ....35¢

Milk and Rice Boilers
2-pint, inside measure ....75¢
4-pint, inside measure $1.00
6-pint, inside measure $1.25
8-pint, inside measure $1.50

Lipped Sauce Pans
¾-quart size, each ....15¢
1-quart size, each ....20¢
1½-quart size, each ....20¢
2-quart size, each ....25¢
2½-quart size, each ....30¢
3-quart size, each ....35¢
4-quart size, each ....40¢
5-quart size, each ....45¢
6-quart size, each ....50¢

Straight Sauce Pans
1-quart size, each ....30¢
2-quart size, each ....35¢
3-quart size, each ....45¢
4-quart size, each ....50¢
6-quart size, each ....65¢
8-quart size, each ....75¢

Colanders
11½-in., blue or white, each ....50¢

—Second Floor

Girls' Print Dresses—Special at $1.50

DRESSES here for the big girl of 14 years as well as the little ones at two years. Good, serviceable qualities in fancy prints, ginghams and chambray. Your choice from a variety of fashionable styles to suit all ages. Every Dress well made and special value at $1.50

—First Floor

Colored Pongee Silks Suitable for Summer Frocks at, Yard 65c

A most suitable silk for Summer frocks, and there's a particularly attractive assortment of new shades to choose from, including light, medium and dark rose, emerald, reseda, myrtle, Belgian blue, royal, navy, saxe and pale blue, white, cream, wistaria, mauve, tan, brown, khaki, light and dark grey and black. Very special value at, per yd....65c

Natural Pongee Silks, a new line just received, very fine quality, 34 inches wide; at, per yard ....75¢

Natural Pongee Silks, special quality, at, per yard ....40¢

—Main Floor

Fancy Cotton Crepes Clearing at, Yard 15c

Fine quality fabrics for Summer washing dresses, and at this low figure many women will be able to indulge in an extra dress length. Included in the lot are pretty floral, striped and Dolly Varden designs, all neat, and good serviceable colorings.

One of those special opportunities that no woman can afford to miss. Shop early and secure best choice of designs.

—Main Floor

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